

# MINUTES

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## LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE

FORTY-SECOND SESSION.

LONGOKE, ARK., DECEMBER 5-10, 1895.



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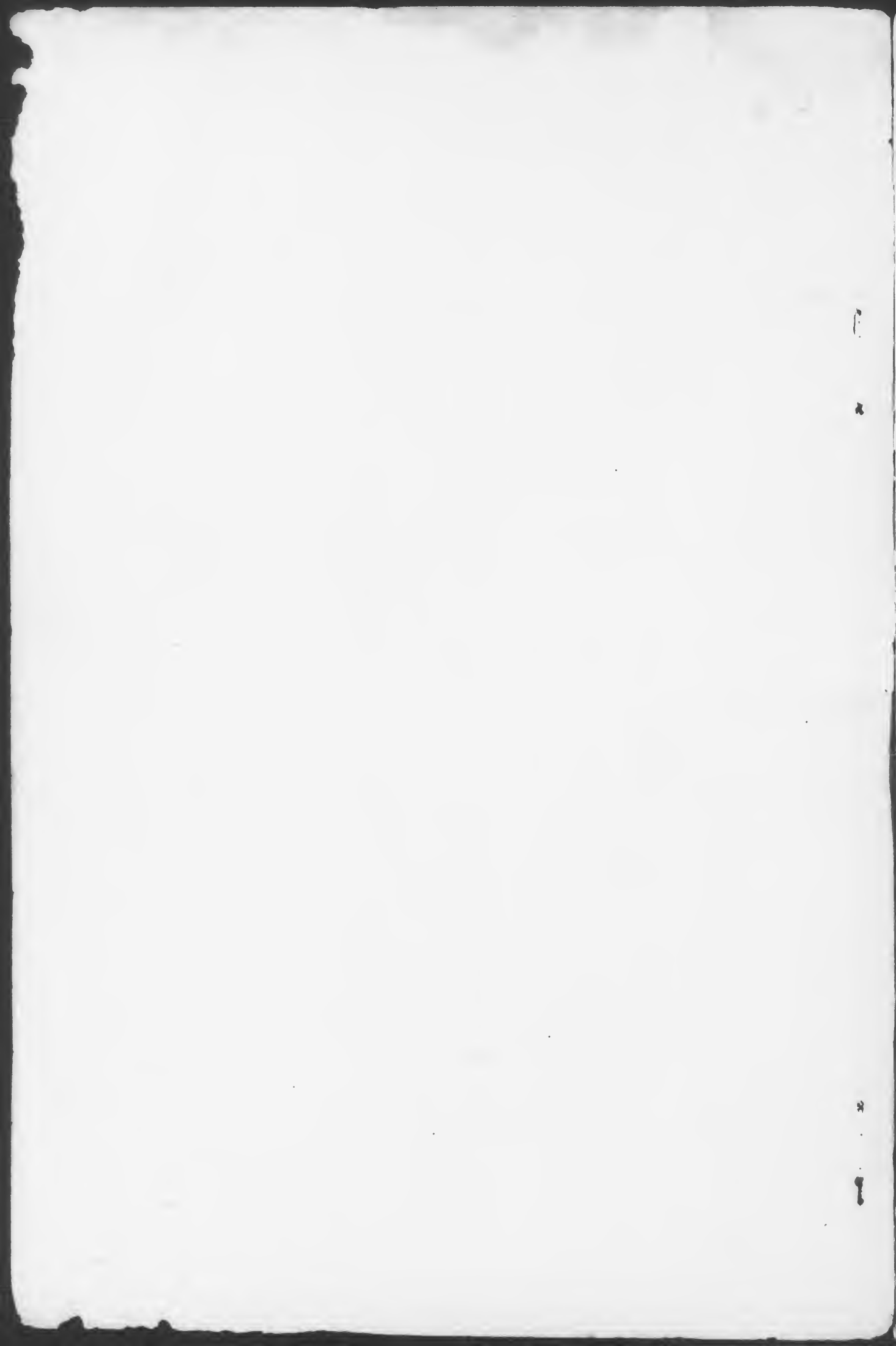
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## LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE, 1895.

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### VISITING COMMITTEE.

*To Hendrix College.*—H. H. Watson, A. M. Robertson, C. E. Patillo.

*To Galloway College.*—Thos. H. Ware, J. R. Moore, A. O. Evans.

*To Arkadelphia Methodist College.*—J. A. Sage, W. A. Steele, James Thomas.

*To Fordyce Training School.*—W. R. Harrison, E. L. Beard, J. H. Riffin.

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Andrew Hunter, J. R. Moore and J. H. Riffin.

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*Hendrix College.*—J. H. Riffin, T. H. Ware, A. O. Evans, J. W. Brown, P. D. English and D. B. Coulter.

*Galloway College.*—C. C. Godden, J. R. Cason, H. H. Watson, H. A. Butler, J. M. McCain and W. C. Ratcliffe.

*Arkadelphia Methodist College.*—J. McLauchlin, J. R. Moore, C. C. Godden, A. O. Evans, H. D. McKinnon, J. H. Gold, A. M. Robertson, R. H. Featherston, E. H. McDaniel, C. V. Murry, W. P. Ross, J. R. Dale, J. W. Brown, R. W. Huie, C. C. Henderson and D. M. Goodlet.

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J. H. Riggin, C. C. Godden, T. H. Ware.

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*For Admission.*—J. McLauchlin, T. D. Scott, S. A. Hill.

*First Year.*—G. C. Jones, A. S. Scott, F. N. Brewer.

*Second Year.*—Horace Jewell, A. M. Robertson, C. D. McSwain.

*Third Year.*—W. E. Boggs, A. Turrentine, E. L. Beard.

*Fourth Year.*—J. H. Riggin, R. R. Moore, B. A. Few.

COMMITTEE TO PUBLISH MINUTES.

George Thornburgh, James Thomas, E. R. Steele.

## ROLL OF MEMBERS AND DELEGATES.

### ROLL OF MEMBERS.

1 Andrew Hunter	34 J. M. D. Sturgis	67 W. M. Crowson
2 Alexander Avery*	35 J. R. Sanders	68 H. B. Scruggs
3 Alex. B. Winfield	36 J. S. Nicholson	69 J. R. Sherwood
4 John F. Carr	37 W. A. Steel	70 B. F. Scott
5 W. J. Scott*	38 E. L. Beard	71 G. C. Jones
6 J. E. Caldwell	39 J. B. Thomas	72 J. J. Menefee
7 H. D. McKinnon	40 G. W. Logan	73 W. J. Hearon
8 B. G. Johnson	41 J. R. Cason	74 B. A. White*
9 E. N. Watson	42 A. O. Evans	75 R. T. Riley
10 W. H. Browning*	43 J. W. Berry	76 J. R. Rushing
11 Jas. H. Blakeny*	44 O. H. Keadle	77 E. M. Pipkin
12 J. H. Riggin	45 W. R. Harrison	78 F. N. Brewer
13 W. J. Davis	46 J. Y. Christmas	79 W. T. Locke
14 J. M. Cline	47 W. W. Mills	80 L. M. Powell
15 T. H. Ware	48 S. A. Hill	81 J. A. Henderson
16 A. D. Jenkins	49 J. A. Sage	82 J. W. Vantrease*
17 H. Townsend*	50 R. W. McKay	83 J. J. Colson
18 H. H. Watson	51 T. D. Scott	84 W. C. Hilliard
19 J. M. G. Douglass	52 C. L. Adams	85 G. E. Parsons
20 G. W. Mathews	53 R. R. Moore*	86 R. G. Rowland
21 C. D. McSwain	54 J. L. Johnston	87 E. F. Wilson
22 R. H. Saunders*	55 R. J. Raiford	88 F. P. Doak
23 C. C. Godden	56 B. A. Few	89 Horace Jewell
24 Jno. McLauchlin	57 J. H. Bradford	90 W. E. Boggs
25 R. C. Atchley	58 A. S. Scott	91 P. P. Burke*
26 J. C. Rhodes	59 A. M. Robertson	92 W. C. Adams*
27 J. D. Whiteside	60 F. J. Shaw	93 G. E. Cameron
28 L. B. Hawley	61 K. W. Dodson	94 R. H. Poynter
29 J. R. Moore	62 C. W. Drake	95 E. R. Steele
30 H. R. Withers	63 W. F. Evans	96 Jno. F. Taylor
31 E. Garret	64 J. B. Williams*	97 A. C. Kelley
32 A. Turrentine	65 Edward Rushing	98 L. C. Wilson
33 J. H. Gold	66 G. M. Hill	99 M. W. Manville

## *Roll of Members and Delegates.*

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100 James Thomas	106 R. L. Wozencraft	111 C. E. Patillo
101 S. C. Dean	107 Llewellyn C. Woz-	112 W. W. Bays*
102 W. C. Watson	encraft	113 J. P. Dickerson
103 R. L. Broach	108 John R. Jones	114 George Morgan
104 W. W. Christie	109 John E. Godbey	115 James M. Hawley
105 W. W. Nelson	110 R. A. McClintock	

Those marked thus \* were not in attendance.

## LAY DELEGATES.

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT. MONTICELLO DISTRICT. WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

J. G. Thweatt  
R. N. Ross  
J. M. Park  
L. B. Leigh

J. E. Erwin\*  
I. A. Bird  
W. H. Isom  
A. G. Cason\*

W. D. Lee  
G. L. Rector  
W. I. Beck  
J. B. Hill

PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

J. S. Williams  
L. B. Austin\*  
N. T. Roberts  
S. A. Morgan

CAMDEN DISTRICT.

J. D. Clary  
Geo. H. Stinson  
A. T. Blount  
R. H. Dunn

HOT SPRINGS DISTRICT.

B. M. Rowton  
L. W. Goar  
J. H. Crawford  
A. J. Thompson\*

ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.

R. B. F. Key

H. A. Butler

C. V. Murry

F. F. Head

Those marked with \* were not in attendance.

## ON TRIAL.

SECOND YEAR.

Sam W. Raney  
Jas. O. Walsh  
Jno. H. Parker

Wash. P. Haynes  
Ben F. Wilson

W. P. Whaley  
Jno. H. Glass

FIRST YEAR.

Jno. T. Shaw  
J. W. White  
L. M. Daly

F. M. Canfield  
T. O. Owen  
J. H. McKelvey

J. D. Dunn  
M. H. Russell

## MINUTE WORK.

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The Forty-second Session of the Little Rock Conference was held at Lonoke, Arkansas, December 5-10, 1895.

### DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

Question 1. Who are admitted on trial? Charles J. Green.

Question 2. Who remain on trial? J. T. Shaw, F. R. Canfield, T. O. Owens, J. H. McKelvey, J. D. Dunn, M. H. Russell, L. M. Daley.

Question 3. Who are discontinued? M. H. Russell, W. P. Haynes, at their own request after passage of the character of each.

Question 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Samuel W. Rainey, Benj. F. Wilson, J. H. Glass, James O. Walsh, John A. Parker, William P. Whaley.

Question 5. Who are readmitted? J. W. F. Scott, W. J. Rogers.

Question 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. A. Freeman from the Indian Mission Conference, Leon R. Barnett from the White River Conference, John H. Cummins from Arkansas Conference, T. O. Rorie, North Georgia Conference.

Question 7. Who are the deacons of one year? L. C. Wilson, W. C. Watson, W. W. Nelson, R. L. Broach, W. W. Christie, L. C. Wozencraft, R. L. Wozencraft.

Question 8. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Samuel W. Rainey, J. O. Walsh, J. A. Parker.

Question 9. The above were ordained, after preaching by the Bishop, Sunday at 11 a. m.

Question 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Jathro W. White, C. J. Green, Isaac Webb, Bishop Sawyer McCan.

Question 11. These were ordained Sunday, together with the traveling preachers.

Question 12. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Edward R. Steel, James Thomas, M. W. Manville, John F. Taylor.

Question 13. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? These were all ordained.

Question 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Question 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.



Question 16. Who are located? Geo. E. Parsons, at his own request; Edward R. Rushing at his own request; R. T. Riley at his own request.

Question 17. Who are supernumerary? H. Townsend, J. H. Gold.

Question 18. Who are superannuated? Alexander Avery, J. E. Caldwell, R. C. Atchley, R. H. Sanders, B. G. Johnson, Andrew Hunter, W. C. Adams, W. H. Browning, H. R. Withers, J. S. Nicholson, P. P. Burke, J. H. Blakeley, W. J. Scott, A. B. Winfield, J. M. Cline.

Question 19. What preachers have died during the year? Chas. L. Adams.

Question 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official character? Their characters all passed.

Question 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions in this Conference? Local preachers, 158; members, white, 28,708; colored, 3.

Question 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 638.

Question 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,268.

Question 24. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 44.

Question 25. What is the number of Epworth League members? 1,409.

Question 26. What is the number of Sunday schools? 344.

Question 27. What is the number of Sunday school teachers? 2,023.

Question 28. What is the number of Sunday school scholars? 16,372.

Question 29. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$4,260.

Question 30. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$3,396.92. Of this the Publishing House paid \$737; Calvin fund, \$23.85. See report of Joint Board as to how applied.

Question 31. What has been contributed for missions? Domestic Missions, \$2,625.03; Foreign Missions, \$4,137.67.

Question 32. What has been contributed for church extension? \$1,253.50.

Question 33. What has been done for the American Bible Society? See report of Committee on Bible Society.

Question 34. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$6,703.04; preachers in charge, \$38,608.26.

Question 35. What has been contributed for the support of bishops? \$859.75.

Question 36. What is the number of societies and the number and estimated value of church edifices? Societies, 428; number of churches, 373 $\frac{1}{3}$ ; value, \$304,221.60.

Question 37. What is the number of pastoral charges, and number and value of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 104; number of parsonages, 75; value of parsonages, \$45,850.

Question 38. What is the number of district parsonages? 3; value, \$4,900.

Question 39. What are the educational statistics? Hendrix College is valued at \$70,000; Galloway College is valued at \$45,000; Fordyce Training School, \$3,000.

Question 40. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? At Camden.

Question 41. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

## APPOINTMENTS.

### LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT—T. H. WARE, P. E.

Little Rock: First Church—C. E. Patillo.	Maumelle—To be supplied by M. H. Brashears.
Winfield Memorial—Jas. Thomas.	Austin—J. A. Henderson.
Asbury—E. R. Steel.	Hickory Plains—J. R. Rushing.
Lonoke Station—M. W. Manville.	Carlisle and Hazen—W. M. Crowson.
Des Arc and DeValls Bluff—B. A. Few.	Barrettsville—E. Garrett.
England and Liberty—R. L. Wozencraft.	Editor <i>Arkansas Methodist</i> —J. E. Godbey.
Tomberlin Mission—L. C. Wozencraft.	Superintendent of American Bible Society—E. M. Pipkin.
Mabelvale—W. C. Watson.	Professor of Hendrix College—J. M. Hawley.
Oak Hill—B. F. Scott.	

### PINE BLUFF DISTRICT—C. C. GODDEN, P. E.

Pine Bluff: First Church—A. O. Evans.	Gillett Circuit—J. J. Bond.
Lakeside—J. F. Carr.	Sheridan Circuit—W. W. Mills.
Riverside—J. R. Sanders.	Rison Circuit—A. M. Robertson.
New Edinburg—L. M. Daly.	Kingsland Circuit—J. R. Jones.
Stuttgart Station—T. O. Owens.	Lehi Circuit—J. M. White.
Humphrey Circuit—F. J. Shaw.	Little Prairie Mission—Supplied by A. M. Shaw.
Sherrill Circuit—J. W. Harrell, supply.	English Circuit—B. F. Wilson.
White River Circuit—O. H. Keagle.	Redfield—W. W. Christie.
	Macon—J. R. Sherwood.
	DeWitt Station—G. E. Cameron.

MONTICELLO DISTRICT.—T. D. SCOTT, P. E.

Monticello Station—J. McLaughlan.	Carriola Circuit—J. O. Walsh.
Star City—C. W. Drake.	Mt. Pleasant Circuit — R. J. Raiford.
Tillar Circuit—W. R. Harrison.	Lacy Circuit—R. G. Rowland.
Hamburg Circuit—J. B. Thomas.	Berea Circuit—J. J. Colson.
Hamburg Station—R. L. Broach.	Bartholomew Circuit — R. A. McClintock.
Palestine Circuit — J. W. Vantrease.	Warren Station—A. Turrentine.
Arkansas City Circuit — J. H. Glass.	Student in Hendrix College — W. W. Nelson.

CAMDEN DISTRICT—J. R. MOORE, P. E.

Camden Station—W. E. Boggs.	Lisbon Circuit—B. A. White.
Camden Circuit—F. R. Canfield.	Junction City Circuit—A. S. Scott.
Ouachita Circuit—J. W. F. Scott.	Walnut Hills Circuit—J. H. Cummins.
Carolina Circuit—E. F. Wilson.	New Lewisville Circuit — E. N. Watson.
Magnolia Station—J. R. Cason.	Bearden and Millville—J. M. D. Sturgis.
Stephens and Waldo—R. W. McKay.	Conference Mission Secretary—J. R. Moore.
Atlanta Circuit—J. W. Berry.	Financial Agent Training School —J. R. Cason.
El Dorado Circuit—W. J. Hearon.	
Lapile Circuit—R. H. Poynter.	
Hampton Circuit—J. L. Johnston.	
Fordyce Station—C. D. McSwain.	
Harmony Grove Circuit — J. D. Dunn.	

WASHINGTON DISTRICT—W. F. EVANS, P. E.

Prescott Station—J. H. Riffin.	Genoa—J. H. McKelvy.
Emmett—J. M. G. Douglass.	Richmond—F. N. Brewer.
Bright Star—Supply by W. H. Head.	Rocky Comfort—L. R. Barnett.
DeAnne—J. R. Dickerson.	Chapel Hill—J. A. Parker.
Hope Station—J. C. Rhodes.	Lockesburg—J. H. Bradford.
Washington—C. J. Green, J. H. Gold, sup.	Mineral Springs—A. D. Jenkins.
Spring Hill—W. J. Rogers.	Center Point—W. T. Locke.
	Nashville—W. A. Steele.

ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT—H. JEWELL, P. E.

Arkadelphia Station—H. H. Watson.	Princeton—S. C. Dean.
Clark—G. W. Mathews.	Lono—A. C. Kelly.
Gurdon—H. D. McKinnon.	Malvern Station—G. M. Hill.
Okolona—S. A. Hill.	Benton Station—L. C. Wilson, H. Townsend, sup.

Murfreesboro—W. J. Davis.	Collegeville—G. W. Logan.
Social Hill—Supply, B. S. McCann.	Bryant—F. P. Doak.
Dalark—W. C. Hilliard.	Student in Arkadelphia Methodist College—K. W. Dodson.
Holly Springs—E. L. Beard.	

#### HOT SPRINGS DISTRICT—J. A. SAGE, P. E.

Hot Springs: Central Avenue—	Oma—J. J. Menefee.
R. R. Moore.	Mt. Ida—L. M. Powell.
South Hot Springs—L. B. Hawley.	Amity—W. P. Whaley.
Malvern Hill—T. O. Rorie.	Nathan—John Shaw.
Hot Springs Mission—J. F. Taylor.	Saline Circuit—S. W. Rainey.
New Liberty—Supply by J. M. Wallace.	Cove Circuit—J. D. Whiteside.
	Cherry Hill—J. B. Williams.
	Dallas—J. Y. Christmas.

#### TRANSFERS.

Transferred to Indian Mission, H. B. Scruggs; Western North Carolina, W. W. Bays; North Georgia, G. W. Morgan.

#### MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Rev. J. J. Bond, a minister in elder's orders in the Methodist Protestant Church, was admitted.

When the name of George E. Parsons was called his Presiding Elder announced that complaints had been made against him, and the case had been referred to a committee who had preferred a bill of charges and specifications. Whereupon the Bishop appointed the following committee of trial: C. C. Godden, J. G. Thweatt, J. W. Berry, G. W. Matthews, H. D. McKinnon, G. W. Logan, A. S. Scott, J. D. Whiteside, A. Turrentine, B. A. Few, J. M. G. Douglass. The committee of trial reported a verdict of not guilty, his character passed and at his request he was located.

G. M. Hill reported that L. D. Belt, a local deacon of Rocky Comfort circuit, had withdrawn from our church, but refused to surrender his credentials, and he desired to make publication of the fact.

A letter from W. W. Bays was read, reciting his afflictions. Whereupon the following resolution was read and adopted:

We have heard with sorrow of the deep affliction of our dear brother, W. W. Bays, which necessitates his removal from us, and while we as a body have not been permitted to meet him, yet from the reports that we hear from time to time from him, through the brethren,

we love him and look upon him as a faithful minister, a noble man, and greatly to be loved. Therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That we tender to Bro. Bays our earnest sympathy in his affliction and assure him of our brotherly love, and that our prayers shall be for his happiness and return to health. That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to Bro. Bays, and also spread on the records of this body.

L. B. HAWLEY,  
W. A. STEEL,  
J. A. SAGE,  
J. R. SANDERS,  
J. F. TAYLOR.

At the close of an address by Miss Laura Haygood the following resolution was adopted :

*Resolved*, That it is the sense of this Conference that we have been greatly profited by the visit of our dear sister from China, Miss Laura Haygood, and we express to her the delight with which we have listened to her, and promise, in the days to come, to show our profit by all she has said, in helping those women in their work, and in all missionary enterprises of the church.

L. B. HAWLEY,  
W. A. STEEL.

The following resolution was adopted :

*Resolved*, That as a Conference we should place greater emphasis upon our Training School work, and discourage the sending of unprepared boys to college.

J. R. CASON,  
A. O. EVANS,  
R. W. MCKAY,  
W. E. BOGGS,  
J. W. BROWN,  
H. A. BUTLER,  
C. D. McSWAIN.

Rev. W. A. Freeman addressed a letter to the Conference expressing his love, etc., and, announcing his intention to change his church relations, surrendered his credentials and asked only for a certificate of good moral character. Whereupon the following resolution was adopted :

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of this Conference be instructed to convey its brotherly greetings to Bro. W. A. Freeman, and to assure him that he carries with him our best wishes and also our prayers for the Divine blessing upon him and his.

J. R. MOORE,  
A. O. EVANS.

When F. N. Brewer's name was called his Presiding Elder stated that complaints had been lodged against him and the following investigating committee was appointed by the Bisuop :

John McLauchlin, B. A. Few and A. D. Jenkins.

The committee reported as follows :

We, the committee of investigation in the case of Rev. F. N. Brewer, beg leave to report that while we consider he has been injudicious in some of his conduct and utterances in regard to his Presiding Elder ; yet, from the evidence brought before us we deem a trial unnecessary.

On motion, the vote by which W. J. Rogers was located last year was reconsidered, and he was placed on the effective list.

*Resolved*, That the Little Rock Conference hereby continue and ratify the approval of the object and work of the Children's Home Society of Arkansas, in providing Christian homes for homeless children and our prayers and assistance will be given it so long as its humane work is needed and its Christian objects are being attained.

The following resolution was read and adopted :

*Resolved*, That it is the desire of the Conference that when the wives of preachers die during the year their names be included in the memorial services and that the wives of preachers be invited to take part in the same.

The Little Rock Annual Conference in session at Lonoke, Ark., expresses its approval of the course of Gov. James P. Clarke in preventing the prize fight at Hot Springs. We rejoice that our chief officer respects the Christian sentiment of our State and has prevented us from disgrace by so brutal a performance.

## RESOLUTION OF THANKS.

Gladness is not gratitude. The hog never looks up to him who threshes down the acorns.

This Conference has been royally entertained. We are glad ; we are more—we are gratified. The princely hospitality of the noble people of Lonoke provokes in us the deepest thankfulness.

We would have our hosts understand and feel this. May God's blessing be upon them, in basket and store, in heart and home.

*Resolved*, That our Secretary be instructed to convey to the authorities of the Little Rock & Memphis Railway, the Iron Mountain, and Cotton Belt, and the Hot Springs Railroads thanks for kindness and courtesy.

*Resolved*, That a vote of thanks is due and hereby tendered to our Bro. Manville for his untiring and successful efforts to make us comfortable.

*Resolved*, That we extend to the other churches and Christian denominations our thanks for many kindnesses.

J. R. MOORE,  
JAMES THOMAS.

George Thornburgh, editor and publisher of the Minutes of this Conference last year reported that he received for the purpose \$120.55 and paid out \$111.62, leaving balance in his hands of \$8.93.

George Thornburgh was re-elected editor and publisher of the Minutes.

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE SABBATH.

The Sabbath day is a Divine institution, hallowed and blessed of God the Father, and recognized and observed by his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, and should be kept sacred by *all* the followers of the meek and lowly Lamb; for He only is "Lord of the Sabbath day."

But we deplore the tendency found among our people to disregard the Divine law, and in the rush and push of business, or in the vanity of a pleasure-seeking life to set at naught the counsel of the Almighty by appropriating the day of the Lord to pleasure or to business.

We would therefore urge our pastors to hold forth the word of the Lord in great plainness on the vital question of Sabbath observance; and to constantly endeavor to teach our people by precept and example to "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it *holy*."

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. BEARD,  
*Chairman.*

### PUBLISHING INTERESTS.

From the annual exhibit of the Publishing House at Nashville, some facts need our careful attention. In spite of the unprecedented financial depression of the past year the book agents show a gain in assets for the year of \$44,877.14. These cold figures express in some degree at least the loyalty of Methodists to a concern of their own creation, and they disclose the judgment and business sense of the agents, Messrs. Barker & Smith. It is worthy of note that the report of the agents has had most favorable comment in the journals of other denominations.

The signal ability with which the *Christian Advocate* has been conducted is a cause for congratulation. It is an easily apprehended



fact that the paper "published by the authority of the entire Church to express her thought and feeling, to promote her enterprises, to defend her faith, to vindicate her policies and a medium of intercommunication among her members" demands and has a right to expect the warmest sympathy and most ardent support.

In the judgment of your committee no paper can rightfully enter the field as a competitor and rival of the *Christian Advocate*.

It is a cause for sincere regret that during the past year the subscription list of the *Advocate* is less than it was a year ago. This simple fact, which your committee believes to be only a fluctuation, is no cause for alarm, but it should be overcome and our connectional organ given a circulation worthy of its position and character.

The *Quarterly Review*, which was long the mired wheel, the burden, has reached at last a self-supporting position and not only promises to accomplish the purpose of its beginning, but to become a source of financial profit to the house. There are no reasons why, on the study table of every Methodist preacher the *Quarterly Review* should not have a place. If, as we are led to believe, we are now making great history, facing problems the solutions of which will greatly affect the after current of this country's life, it behooves us as a church and as preachers to be thoroughly furnished. *The Review* cannot do all for us. It does not propose to do that, but it will be found a great help and an invaluable aid. Your committee believes that the editor's review of recent and good books will alone be worth the price to any young preacher who is honestly endeavoring to think for himself.

The *Epworth Era*, after much skirmishing, has at last fortified itself and is doing valiant battle for the great cause it represents. The book agents show that with the *Era* the unexpected has happened. That it has cost from its start to the end of the fiscal year but \$994.16 in excess of its own receipts. It was expected that the *Era* would be a burden at least for one year, and may be longer. Every indication justifies the statement that in a short time the *Era* will be self-supporting.

Your Committee would add its recommendation to others of like reports, that our preachers insist on the use of our own Sunday-school periodicals. Much of that which comes from outside sources is pernicious. Cheapness frequently is but a mask that hides inferiority. If our children grow up to be Methodists, not in obedience to tradition but because of clearly defined opinions and mature thought and decided convictions, much of the work must be done in the Sabbath-school. The stuff of which much of the outside Sunday-school literature is composed, cannot be relied upon to produce strong men and women, and much less Methodists.



The Business Manager of the *Arkansas Methodist* makes this statement: "*The Methodist* has a larger circulation according to patronizing population, than any other Church paper in the Southern Church." Representing, as it does, the interests of three Conferences, the work is difficult and laborious. At the recent session of the Editorial Board, representing the three Conferences, the management was endorsed and the Bishop requested to appoint Dr. J. E. Godbey, editor. It is not out of place at this point to call attention to the fact that many of our people are subscribing for other advocates, to the positive hurt of *The Methodist*. Of course the committee does not presume to direct the reading of the preachers, or of their people, but simple justice demands that we shall be loyal to our own Conference organ. We shall not discuss the question, if it be a question, whether a Conference paper has the right to solicit patronage outside the bounds of its legally constituted territory, but when our own Conference organ is made to suffer by such causes, it is time to question our fidelity. The solvent at last for any such difficulty is in making our own paper all that we need. It is a sad statement of our depravity that there is a morbid desire to hear men and things mercilessly held up to public ridicule.

Such is the economy of our Church, that there are places for the settlement of serious questions, glaring errors, malfeasance in office, other than advocates. Mere news and sensations are not the highest standards by which papers are to be judged. Every family ought to be morally sure of the spirit and tone of every paper introduced into the home. Our Church cannot afford to be less careful. As preachers we are pledged to our *Christian Advocate* and our Conference organ; let us not be unmindful of their interest.

We recommend the following be appointed Editorial Committee:  
Rev. Andrew Hunter, Rev. J. H. Riffin, Rev. J. R. Moore.

Respectfully,

C. E. PATTILLO.

## BOARD OF MISSIONS,

We make the following apportionments:

## FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Little Rock District.....	\$1,275 00
Monticello       “ .....	1,100 00
Camden           “ .....	1,250 00
Washington      “ .....	1,250 00
Arkadelphia     “ .....	1,250 00
Pine Bluff       “ .....	1,100 00
Hot Springs      “ .....	775 00

## DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

Little Rock District.....	\$775 00
Pine Bluff       “ .....	650 00
Monticello      “ .....	675 00
Camden           “ .....	775 00
Washington      “ .....	775 00
Arkadelphia     “ .....	775 00
Hot Springs      “ .....	575 00

After paying all outstanding liabilities we have now in hand of Domestic Mission Fund, \$2,138 88.

We have appropriated the following amounts to the charges named for the incoming Conference year:

To the Conference Missionary Secretary.....	\$100 00
Hot Springs District .....	450 00
South Hot Springs.....	250 00
Cove.....	100 00
Dallas .....	100 00
Nathan .....	100 00
Oma .....	25 00
Cherry Hill.....	25 00
Riverside .....	350 00
Stuttgart .....	100 00
Little Prairie.....	75 00
Spring Hill .....	50 00
Junction City .....	100 00
Social Hill.....	80 00
Palestine .....	80 00
Asbury .....	150 00
Barrettsville.....	80 00
Maumelle.....	50 00
Tomberlin .....	100 00

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES THOMAS, *Secretary.*

## EPWORTH LEAGUE.

During the past two years there has been an increase of 15 Leagues and 409 members. We believe this increase is not what it might have been had all pastors been thoroughly informed concerning this department of our Church, and fully conscious of the need of our young people. We now have reported 44 Leagues and 1409 members, leaving many charges without the education and life the League brings, and many pastors without a right arm of power they need.

We recommend that our pastors show their faith in God, in the Church, and in their young people, by taking front rank in the Epworth League movement.

2. That they thoroughly inform themselves and people concerning League work.

3. That they make prayerful and faithful efforts to organize a League in each congregation.

4. That they give special attention to these Leagues after they are organized.

5. If it be impossible to have a well rounded League, complete in all its departments, it may be possible to emphasize some part of the work. If there is little need or opportunity for charity work, that may not be stressed. If the entire course of literary work cannot be undertaken, the systematic study of the Bible and Discipline would be interesting and profitable. At least, the department of worship could be operated.

It is a significant fact, that we *are* operating successful Leagues in the city, the small towns and the country.

We have not so far passed the state of babyhood that we do not need to be entertained. We believe the Church, through the Epworth League, can provide profitable entertainment for our young people without losing any grace.

A. O. EVANS, *Chairman.*

W. P. WHALEY, *Secretary.*

## BOARD OF COLPORTAGE.

We recommend that Dr. J. E. Godbey and George Thornburgh be re-elected general colporters.

From the statement furnished us by the colporters there has been \$7,600 worth of books sold during the year now ending. This shows a decrease of about \$400 in sales compared with last year, and at a profit of only 7 per cent, counting nothing for their services. This, in a large measure, brings clearly to our minds the fact that our literature

is not circulated and read. That the present system of colportage is comparatively a failure, is too apparent to provoke discussion.

Unwholesome and dangerous literature is evidently supplanting ours. So much cheap literature is being sold all over our country it is difficult for our preachers to sell the books that should be read but higher in price. Many difficulties arise in the sale and distribution of books under the present system. We are "at sea" to devise or recommend a plan that will promise any better results than the time-honored practice of all our preachers being colporters and doing all they can to furnish the people with good books.

We, therefore, recommend that the course of reading for the Epworth League be purchased by every Sunday-school where a League can not be organized, and let this course form a circulating library.

K. W. DODSON, *President.*

W. C. HILLIARD, *Secretary.*

### BIBLE CAUSE.

After examining the Seventy-ninth Annual Report of the American Bible Society, together with other papers issued by the Bible House, we find great cause for profound gratitude to God, and cause for great encouragement in our co-operation with that noble institution in sending forth the Word of God to our common humanity.

The work is a stupendous one and not appreciated as it should be by our preachers and leading laymen, as evidenced by the meager support given.

The masses, of course, are ignorant of the magnitude and importance of the work, and are therefore indifferent. But, if our preachers would take the pains to inform themselves and instruct the people as they should, increase in interest and contributions would soon result.

It is a burning shame that so little is being done to assist the men who have undertaken so much for the world's salvation. People, generally, who are properly informed, when attention is called to this work, contribute as cheerfully to it as to any other.

For information, we refer our preachers to the *Bible Society Record*, a periodical issued by the society. Every pastor who takes a collection for the Bible Cause is entitled to this paper free on application. Let every preacher get it, read it and shed the light on his people.

We would emphasize the work of this society in foreign fields. It goes not only to those countries where missionaries abound but also where they are few, and, by means of colportage and otherwise, is supplying heathen nations with the Word of God in their own tongue. This requires considerable outlay of means, which should be cheerfully contributed by the enlightened peoples of Christian civilization.

Many months ago the society started on a race, the goal of which is a Bible in the hand of every child of all our Sunday-schools.

We bespeak the sympathy and hearty co-operation of all our pastors and Sunday-school workers in this worthy enterprise. We would remind the preachers of this, their duty, and hope they will not forget that it is now a disciplinary requirement that they take collections for the Bible Cause. But we ought to be ashamed to ignore the higher ground of obligation to God and our brother.

Out of 105 charges in our Conference only fifty-seven report funds collected amounting to \$350. The handsome sum of \$525 might have been realized by giving \$5 per charge, and \$10 would double that amount, which hardly approximates the line of possibility.

*Resolved*, That we are glad to recognize our brother, Rev. E. M. Pipkin, in the relation he sustains to this work, and welcome him in this capacity among us. We cordially invite him to visit our pastoral charges during the ensuing year at such times as may best promote the interest of his work, and promise him our earnest prayers and help.

*Resolved*, That we will endeavor to take collections for the Bible Cause not later than the fourth Sunday in February, 1896; and will at once forward the same to Rev. E. M. Pipkin at Little Rock, Ark.

*Resolved*, That we recommend the continuance of Bro. Pipkin by appointment of the Bishop in the same relation as District Superintendent of the American Bible Society.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. GOLD,  
J. L. JOHNSTON,  
T. F. HEAD,  
T. O. OWEN.

## SUNDAY-SCHOOL BOARD.

We regret that so few Sunday-schools observed Children's Day. In our opinion a general use of the program provided by our Church this year would have stimulated interest in the missionary cause and given valuable and needed information on the subject.

The reports of collections on Children's Day were so carelessly made, as in many cases to give the treasurer no information as to what charge or district they came from, and we cannot give an accurate table of such collections. The Treasurer had received during the year from Children's Day collections the sum of \$211.10, which we recommend be divided equally among the districts, subject to orders of the Presiding Elders. The Treasurer has on hand from last year \$81.96, which he has disbursed as the law directs.

We have observed with pride the improvement made in our Sunday-school literature, especially in the *Magazine* and *Visitor*.

We hope that no school will try to get along without our literature, and that no school will desire, or be allowed to substitute other literature for our own.

We recommend that pastors and other persons who send Children's Day collections give the name of the school, the name of the pastor, the name of the charge and the district, so the treasurer may enter the same regularly.

Respectfully,

GEO. THORNBURGH, *President*.

R. W. MCKAY, *Secretary*.

### JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

Amount collected for minutes, \$103.16; deficit, \$47.25.

Amount collected for Bishops, \$859.75; deficit, \$36.25.

Amount collected from Publishing House, included in total on conference claimants, \$737.

Amount collected for conference claimants, \$3,396.92.

Paid claimants as follows, viz.:

J. E. Caldwell.....	\$150 00	Sister Nora Keith.....	25 45
W. H. Browning.....	100 00	A. B. Winfield .....	125 00
Sister E. L. Holmes and		Sister Colburn.....	75 45
two children.....	51 25	A. Avery.....	125 00
W. J. Scott.....	100 00	Sister Stanley .....	40 45
Dr. A. Hunter.....	175 00	Sister Keyton and two chil-	
B. G. Johnson.....	175 00	dren .....	51 35
R. C. Atchley.....	156 00	Bro. Hagan's two children	35 90
Sister Laney and child....	75 90	Sister Turrentine.....	45 45
Sister A. J. Marshall.....	100 45	Sister Jenkins and three	
Sister Husband.....	10 45	children .....	186 35
Sister Greenwood.....	45	Sister Watson.....	10 45
Sister L. M. Keith and two		Sister Brinkley .....	75 45
children.....	126 25	Sister S. C. Follen and four	
Bro. Galloway's two chil-		children.....	102 25
dren .....	50 90	Sister Clower and four chil-	
Bro. Haskew's child.....	15 45	dren .....	152 25
Sister Parker and four chil-		Sister Rice and four chil-	
dren .....	222 25	dren .....	177 25
J. S. Nicholson.....	160 00	Sister Cora Adams and two	
H. R. Withers. ....	100 00	children .....	101 35
Sister Robertson and		J. M. Cline.....	25 00
daughter.....	10 90	R. H. Saunders.....	25 00
J. H. Blakeley .....	150 00	W. C. Adams.....	100 00
Sister Davies.....	10 45		

Receipt from the Calvin fund of \$23.85, embraced in the distribution.

ASSESSMENT ON THE DISTRICTS OF THE LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE.

For Bishops: Hot Springs district, \$70; all the others each, \$145—\$870. Total \$940.

For Education: Hot Springs District, \$20; all the others, each, \$30—\$180. Total \$200.

For Hendrix College: Hot Springs District, \$50; all the others, each, \$100—\$600. Total, \$650.

For Expenses General Conference: Hot Springs District, \$42; all the others, each, \$87—\$522. Total, \$564.

For Conference Minutes: Hot Springs District, \$15; the others, \$25 each.

W. A. STEELE, *Chairman.*

J. H. HICKS, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

*To the Bishop and Members of Little Rock Annual Conference:*

DEAR BRETHREN—Your committee submit the following report :

ITEM No. 1.—LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE TRAINING SCHOOL.

We learn with pleasure that this school is having a prosperous year. The great need of the Training School is beginning to be felt. The interest in preparatory work is growing. The idea of laying a good foundation for the educational structure cannot be too strongly emphasized.

Prof. J. D. Clary came to us very highly recommended and his work shows that too much of praise could not be said of him.

He deserves a stronger support and a more liberal patronage.

Put your children in the training school until they are ready for college work.

ITEM No. 2.—ARKADELPHIA METHODIST COLLEGE.

The reports from this school show most satisfactory results. The faculty has received some valuable additions. The patronage is larger than ever before. This is a most excellent school and worthy of patronage. We recommend that W. P. Ross, J. C. Rhodes, John McLaughlin, C. V. Murry and E. H. McDaniel be appointed trustees, their term of office to expire in 1898.

We respectfully recommend that George C. Jones be appointed President of the Arkadelphia Methodist College.

ITEM No. 3.—GALLOWAY FEMALE COLLEGE.

We are glad to learn of the good attendance and the continued prosperity of Galloway Female College. The spirit of study that pervades this school is remarkable. But the best of all is the deep spirit-



uality that abides in the school. The unconverted are converted, the the religious are strengthened and learned to work for the Master.

We regret to learn that the subscriptions to this school, made in good faith, of course, are yet unpaid. Many think Galloway is easy and continue to delay the payment of their subscriptions. This is a mistake; the money is needed and needed badly. Let us not sit still and unwittingly allow this great and much-needed institution to suffer. The school is very popular and has many strong friends throughout the State. Brethren and friends of this noble institution, we *urge*, *yea*, we *insist* that you hasten to the relief of this school.

ITEM NO. 4.—HENDRIX COLLEGE.

From the report of the President of Hendrix College, we learn that the scholastic year ending June, 1895, was one of unusual prosperity. The enrollment was larger than the previous year. The present session has opened auspiciously. Although the enrollment be less than last year, the number of genuine college students is much greater.

The moral tone and the religious zeal of this school has been remarkable from the beginning.

There was a felt want for such a school and now we have it.

It is all that could be asked, training both the *head* and the *heart* of our boys.

The trustees have struggled hard. They began without money and today they present us with a property worth \$70,000. The faculty have been heroic in their efforts, and have done and are doing a noble work on meager salaries.

But with all this, the school seems to have reached a crisis. There is a debt of \$20,000 that is threatening the very existence of the institution; \$12,000 of this must be met within the next 90 days, or all the heroic efforts of the past are lost. The trustees, the president and the financial agent feel that they have come to the end of their own strength, and appeal to the Conferences. Therefore,

*Resolved*, 1. That not less than one-third of the most effective preachers in each district shall be appointed by the Bishop to co-operate with the Presiding Elder in canvassing the district in the interest of Hendrix College, and to assist in raising the money within the next 90 days.

2. We recommend an assessment of \$650 on the Conference for Hendrix College, as the regular educational assessment.

3. The re-appointment of Dr. J. W. Brown to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of his term as trustee.

4. We pledge more earnest efforts to secure patronage for Hendrix College.



5. That we instruct the trustees forbidding the mortgaging of the property after the present indebtedness has been paid.

6. That the Bishop be requested to appoint Rev. J. M. Hawley professor of English in Hendrix College.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. RIGGIN, *President.*

R. R. MOORE, *Secretary.*

## COMMITTEE OF MEMOIRS.

Rev. Charles L. Adams, son of Captain James Adams. was born in Lonoke county, Arkansas, September 5th, 1866. He was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Old Mount Tabor, August, 1876.

Sometime after he was led off and did not enjoy religion, but at Big Spring camp meeting, in 1885, he was reclaimed; and of the hundreds that were on the ground who can forget that wonderful day—that day of the Son of Man, when Charlie, as we all loved to call him, and scores of others, were born into the kingdom.

From that time he felt he was called of God to the work of the Christian ministry, and on the 10th day of November, 1885, he was licensed to preach by the writer. He was admitted on trial into the Little Rock Annual Conference in the fall of 1886, at Hot Springs, and was appointed to the Ouchita circuit. He traveled the Hampton circuit the next two years, from there he was appointed to the Bearden circuit two years, then to the Carlisle and Hazen work, where he labored two years. In July, 1894, his health failed, and he was advised by friends to go west and see if change of climate would not restore him, but he grew worse, and at the Conference last year he was granted a superannuated relation, and again he went abroad, this time to Mexico, but no relief came, and Brother Adams was satisfied that death had marked him for its own. When impressed with this fact, he turned his face towards home and loved ones, that he might be with them in his last days. He succeeded in reaching home, but lived a short time after his return. He died July 25th, 1895. When the time came to exchange worlds he was ready, no fear, no holding back.

Brother Adams was a noble man, a true and affectionate husband and father, a minister of lofty purpose, he had a zeal that almost consumed him. In his work he let nothing hinder him in meeting his appointments. He pressed on through cold and heat, rain and snow, for he felt that he had a message from God to deliver, and the King's business requireth haste. Wherever our brother went, whether in the cabins of the poor, or the mansions of the rich, he was a welcome guest, for his Master went with him. Brother Adams' ministry was a

successful one, and we have every reason to believe that scores of precious souls will rise up and call him blessed in the last day. All who knew him felt when he died that a brave, true, man had entered into rest. He leaves to his faithful wife and children a stainless name, which is a heritage above rubies.

C. C. GODDEN.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

Of all the economic questions now agitating the public mind, the temperance question is by great odds the most vital.

It is the great overshadowing question of the hour.

Compared to it, the tariff and the silver questions are mere pigmies. They are to it as the wee twaddling child is to the man.

Settle your tariff and silver questions in such manner as to entirely remove them as a disturbing element, and leave the liquor traffic intact, this eating ulcer upon the body politic, and it will sap our resources, clog our progress, corrupt every department of government, and finally work its ruin. This serpent of the still already has its teeth at the nation's throat, and will throttle the nation, unless the people in their majesty and might arise and throttle it. It is a question of life and death which shall survive; shall it be the liquor traffic, or this nation, with its Christian civilization?

Every day the liquor traffic remains it is a standing menace to the safety of our free institutions and the peace of the home. The best authorities place the drink bill of this country, at the lowest estimate, at \$900,000,000. A recent writer says that if this inconceivable sum was placed in a heap, five men with shovels could not throw it away as fast as it accumulates. This gives us some idea of our wasted resources.

There is a principle of political economy that any business or traffic which is not productive of wealth is destructive of it. The liquor traffic cannot stand this loss.

We submit one fact illustrative of this. In 1890 Pulaski county had less than three dollars per capita in personal property more than Lonoke county, yet Pulaski county has many more miles of railroad than Lonoke, and the capital city of the State, with her banks, her street car lines, ice plants, electric light plants, numerous saw mills, and sixty saloons, and many wholesale houses, while Lonoke county only had one bank, no electric light or ice plants, and not a single first class saw mill; but Lonoke county had been almost entirely clear of saloons for the past decade. And yet, sad to say, there are professed Christian men who tacitly consent to license, or refuse to positively oppose it, for fear it will injure their business, or because they want the revenue, forgetting that it is written that "Woe is him who

buildeth a town in blood or establisheth a city by iniquity." Let all such self-seeking, timid souls be assured that every dollar of such gain is stained with human gore, and every cent in every dollar of such revenue stands for a sigh wrung from some bleeding, broken, heart; that every dollar represents desolated homes, or wrecked and ruined lives.

For, if this accursed traffic goes on, some home must be made desolate, some life stranded. Somebody's boy must be given to this cormorant that is ever crying "Give, give!"

Have you a boy to give? You shudder at the question. Then will you remain inactive and refuse to lift a hand to save your neighbor's boy? If you vote for license, you are presumed to intend all this and more. For the principle of law is that every man is presumed to intend the necessary logical results of his own voluntary action. No man can escape responsibility. Refusing to vote either way does not relieve him, for he that shirks responsibility assumes the gravest responsibility.

Let us, as preachers and laymen, put forth our best efforts and use every honorable means to poll the largest vote against license that was ever polled in Arkansas. Let us determine to hold every foot of territory we have, and drive this fearful curse from other counties and towns.

To do this we must agitate and work, lecture and preach to our people on this subject, remembering that the price of liberty is eternal vigilance. Therefore, be it

*Resolved*, 1. That with grateful acknowledgment to Almighty God for the victories won, we will not abate one jot or tittle of our effort to rid our fair State of this awful crime.

2. That we regard the purchase of United States revenue license by our members to sell intoxicants as *prima facie* evidence of a violation of the disciplinary provision against the sale of whisky, and therefore to be condemned.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. L. BEARD, *Chairman*.

## COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE JOURNALS.

The proceedings of the Washington District Conference are uniquely reported. De Anne is spelled with a capital E in first syllable; "Jon." appears as an abbreviation for John. Otherwise this is a faultless record.

The record for the Camden District is well-kept; penmanship good, style elegant, orthography perfect.

The Hot Springs Record is well written and makes a neat appearance. The proceedings of the Conference are carefully and faithfully recorded, with the following exceptions: One report and one resolution are recorded, "Adopted as amended," without recording the amendment.

The record for the Little Rock District, in the main, has been well kept. The style is very good, though somewhat ambiguous. The election of the secretary is very awkwardly recorded; the marginal references are very incomplete; some defect in the use of capitals; penmanship pretty, but not very legible; north is spelled "nouth;" punctuation is often neglected, especially periods.

The Monticello District Conference, judged by the record, was opened without religious services. This is a very neat record in appearance; orthography, good; penmanship, fair.

The proceedings of the Pine Bluff District Conference are recorded in a book that is too small, and in which no provision is made for marginal references. Some sentences are inelegantly arranged; the penmanship is legible; the orthography is perfect. "President Ware" is used instead of the president; almost throughout the record the name of the president is omitted, but referred to as follows: "Present and presiding, as at morning session;" no marginal references are given; the president's signature does not appear to the record.

In the main, the record for the Arkadelphia District is first-class. Penmanship, fair; marginal references, incomplete; style, concise, but rather too brief; in some instances there fails to appear any record that the minutes of the preceding session were read.

In comparing them with former records, we are delighted to note a very marked improvement in most of the records before us.

R. LUTHER BROACH,  
S. C. DEAN,  
S. A. HILL,

*Committee.*

## BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

Your Board of Church Extension rejoices in the fact that there has been an increase in the collections for this cause, but we have not yet been as liberal in our contributions as we have a right to expect, nor is your board able to pay more than 50 per cent. of the applications before us. We have applications asking for \$1800

The assessments on the districts for church extension are :

Little Rock:.....	\$375 50
Monticello .....	323 50
Pine Bluff.....	332 50
Washington .....	332 50
Arkadelphia .....	357 50
Camden .....	357 50
Hot Springs.....	225 00

A report from Miss Lizzie Stinson, Corresponding Secretary of Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society, is submitted as part of our report (No. 1).

We recommend the adoption of the following resolutions (No. 2):

## WOMAN'S PARSONAGE AND HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

Record of report of Little Rock Conference Society to Annual Conference, December, 1895:

	During Year.	Increase Over Last Year.
Number of Adult Societies .....	8	5
Number of Adult Members.....	117	..
Number of Young Ladies' or Young People's Societies	1	1
Number of Young People members.....	34	..
Number of Juvenile Societies.....	5	4
Number of Juvenile members .....	88	..
Total number of connectional members in the Society	239	..
Number of connectional members added during year..	166	..
Number of monthly meetings during year.....	36	..
Total number of members present during year .....	356	..
Number of subscribers to "Our Homes".....	43	..
New subscribers added during year.....	22	..
How many are pledged to systematic giving?.....	18	..
Number of sick, and strangers visited.....	286	..
Number of papers and leaflets distributed.....	760	..
Number of garments distributed .....	87	..
Number of Cottage Prayer Meetings held or Bible Readings given.....	60	..
Number of visits to corrective or benevolent institu- tions .....	2	..

Miscellaneous Items.—Much local work has been done for churches and parsonages, also many boxes of clothing sent to needy preachers. Most of these societies have only been organized a few months.

Remarks.—Some money has been sent for the Cuban and mountain work, but the Treasurer has the report of that—this only speaks of work done at home.

LIZZIE S. STINSON, *Conference Corresponding Secretary.*

Postoffice address: Camden.

*Resolved*, That the Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society in each charge be urged to improve the condition of its parsonage, striving to make it more convenient, comfortable and tasteful, and improve the grounds by planting fruit and shade trees; also that our pastors be urged to place the parsonage in as perfect a condition as possible upon leaving.

Adopted.

*Resolved*, That a list of the Conference officers of the Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society, with their addresses, be published annually in the minutes of this Conference, and that a copy of the minutes of this Conference be furnished annually to the central office of that society at Nashville, Tenn.

Adopted.

*Resolved*, That we urge each preacher in this Conference to change his Aid Society into a Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society, and that all the money expended in its bounds by each local Parsonage Society and by the Conference Society and Central Committee be reported to this Annual Conference and incorporated in its minutes.

C. C. GODDEN, *President.*

J. D. CLARY, *Secretary.*

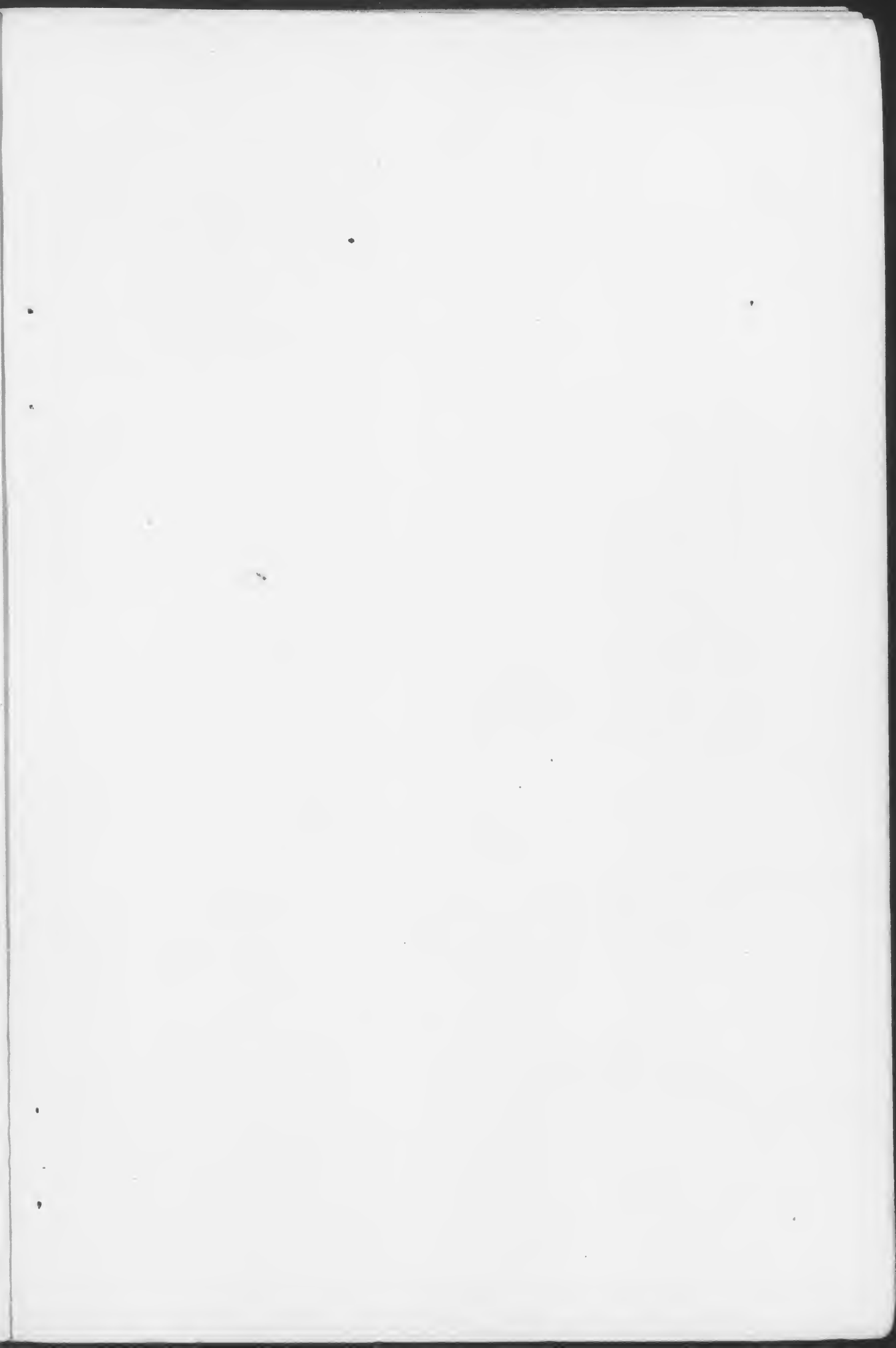
The following are the names and postoffice addresses of the Conference Society:

MRS. S. N. MARSHALL, President, Little Rock.

MRS. W. C. RATCLIFFE, Vice President, Little Rock.

MISS LIZZIE STINSON, Secretary, Camden.

MRS. DR. THOMPSON, Treasurer, Little Rock.



# MEMBERSHIPS, BAPTISMS AND CHURCH PROPERTY. HOT SPRINGS DISTRICT, LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE, 1895.

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Minutes Little Rock Annual Conference.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of White Members.	No. of Col'd Members.	To'tl Memb's this year.	To'tl Memb's last year.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate & otherwise.	Removals by Death, Cert. & otherwise.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.	No. of Societies in the Charge.	Numbe of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Dis. Parsonage, if any.	Value of other Church property.	Money Expd for Churches and Parsonages.
Hot Springs—Central Avenue.....	1	353	...	353	343	6	8	23	...	2	1	1	\$25,000 00	1	\$2,000 00	...	...	\$ 100 85
South Hot Springs	1	169	...	169	131	35	11	8	3	15	1	1	2,000 00	1	450 00	...	\$1,800 00	275 00
Malvern Hill.....	3	242	...	242	256	11	42	68	11	12	2	2	3,500 00	...	...	...	300 00	172 35
Glen Street.....	1	70	...	70	65	5	6	6	19	3	...	1	1,200 00	...	...	...	...	5 00
New Liberty.....	2	366	...	366	370	12	2	18	1	8	9	7	2,600 00	1	450 00	...	175 00	...
Mountain Valley Mission.....	1	110	...	110	109	5	5	8	2	1	7	3	500 00	...	...	...	5 00	3 00
Crystal Springs Circuit.....	4	296	...	296	266	21	12	10	7	14	9	5½	1,175 00	1	150 00	...	50 00	...
Mount Ida Circuit.....	3	321	...	321	281	9	28	7	5	9	8	3	1,900 00	1	200 00	...	...	5 00
Amity Circuit.....	3	256	...	300	...	19	8	17	3	11	6	8	4,500 00	1	600 00	...	...	275 00
New Hope Circuit.....	1	202	...	202	177	60	25	13	3	55	4	2	550 00	...	...	...	...	25 00
Saline Circuit.....	4	408	...	408	378	32	25	26	20	18	...	6	1,000 00	1	225 00	...	...	41 00
Cove Circuit.....	4	245	1	246	198	47	13	20	4	28	8	3	550 00	1	200 00	...	...	5 50
Cherry Hill Circuit.....	9	285	...	285	...	19	9	16	6	8	...	3	1,300 00	1	100 00	...	...	4 45
Dallas Circuit.....	3	258	...	258	237	22	14	15	2	14	8	4	950 00	...	...	...	10 00	1 00
Total.....	40	3,581	1	3,626	2,751	303	208	255	86	198	63	49½	\$46,675 00	9	\$4,375 00	...	\$2,340 00	\$913 15

## ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.

Arkadelphia Station.....	3	439	...	439	417	21	42	31	3	14	1	1	\$ 4,000 00	1	\$ 2,500 00	...	...	\$ 48 00
Daleville Mission.....	...	163	...	163	112	45	5	4	3	30	...	2	350 00	...	...	...	...	...
Clark Circuit.....	1	294	...	295	283	8	17	5	2	7	7	5	1,850 00	1	250 00	...	...	150 00
Gurdon Circuit.....	...	330	...	330	321	10	...	15	7	15	8	3	2,220 00	1	600 00	...	...	155 00
Okolona Circuit.....	...	275	...	275	315	7	8	40	5	7	3	3	2,000 00	1	500 00	...	...	...
Murfreesboro Circuit.....	3	478	...	478	439	38	22	21	3	28	8	5	2,500 00	1	100 00	...	\$ 300 00	300 00
Social Hill Circuit.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dalark Circuit.....	1	333	...	333	325	9	8	9	7	8	6	6	2,800 00	1	750 00	...	135 00	...
Holly Springs.....	3	391	...	391	379	24	1	13	8	14	4	4	2,650 00	...	...	...	...	750 00
Princeton Circuit.....	1	370	...	370	347	31	20	28	11	29	8	8	2,400 00	1	300 00	...	...	159 70
Lono Circuit.....	1	325	...	325	303	12	10	3	1	6	8	8	3,000 00	1	300 00	...	...	650 00
Malvern Station.....	...	266	...	266	260	13	7	14	6	1	1	1	7,000 00	1	1,000 00	...	300 00	1,131 06
Benton Station.....	3	287	...	287	283	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	4,000 00	...	...	...	115 00	112 20
Collegeville Circuit.....	1	361	...	361	381	43	7	3	8	27	7	8	5,600 00	1	450 00	...	...	50 00
Bryant Circuit.....	1	560	...	560	516	47	22	25	6	22	...	8	2,310 00	1	240 00	...	60 00	50 00
Total.....	18	4,672	...	4,873	4,681	309	172	214	71	209	62	63	\$42,680 00	11	\$6,990 00	...	\$900 00	\$3,558 96



MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

Monticello Station.....	1	228	228	211	19	12	13	4	12	.....	1	\$ 3,500 00	2	\$ 2,300 00	.....	\$ 165 25
Star City Circuit.....	1	313	313	302	122	12	124	12	69	9	3	1,500 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tillar Station.....	3	418	418	420	25	2	20	5	12	6	4	3,950 00	1	300 00	\$ 100 00	10 00
Hamburg Circuit.....	2	376	376	377	10	4	15	6	4	.....	5	1,800 00	1	500 00	.....	35 00
Palestine Circuit.....	.....	.....	551	505	77	7	4	.....	27	8	5	2,200 00	1	400 00	.....	236 15
Arkansas City Circuit.....	1	53	53	42	9	6	4	13	2	3	3	3,500 00	1	600 00	.....	60 00
Macon Hill Circuit.....	1	92	92	90	2	.....	.....	1	.....	4	2	1,100 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mount Pleasant Circuit.....	.....	.....	399	329	53	13	16	20	15	4	4	3,300 00	1	400 00	.....	16 75
Lacey Circuit .....	1	355	355	260	31	5	5	12	12	7	6	3,000 00	1	300 00	4 00	25 00
Hamburg Station.....	1	112	112	116	.....	20	20	5	.....	1	1	1,000 00	1	600 00	50 00	70 55
Berea Circuit.....	2	300	300	295	23	18	37	15	10	8	6	1,025 00	1	400 00	400 00	125 00
Portland and Parkdale.....	2	192	194	181	7	46	42	1	2	6	5	3,800 00	1	550 00	50 00	596 80
Warren Station.....	.....	179	179	194	.....	6	21	2	.....	1	1	2,500 00	1	1,000 00	.....	.....
Total .....	15	2,618	3,550	3,322	378	151	330	102	165	57	46	\$32,175 00	12	\$7,350 00	\$604 00	\$1,340 50

PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

Pine Bluff—First Church.....	1	375	.....	376	324	16	42	92	11	5	1	1	\$ 25,000 00	1	\$3,500 00	.....	.....	\$796 25
Lakeside.....	1	122	.....	122	115	14	10	17	10	9	1	1	5,000 00	1	1,700 00	.....	.....	.....
Riverside.....	2	70	.....	70	69	6	24	29	20	.....	1	1	2,000 00	.....	.....	.....	600 00	
New Edinburgh Circuit.....	.....	327	.....	327	337	4	1	15	1	2	7	6	1,650 00	1	500 00	.....	.....	34 25
Stuttgart Station.....	.....	77	.....	77	65	7	10	5	.....	4	1	1	1,500 00	.....	200 00	.....	\$ 300 00	50 00
GoldmanC ircuit.....	.....	202	.....	202	199	2	17	11	2	2	6	2	400 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sherrill Circuit.....	.....	72	.....	70	249	3	2	9	1	1	5	3	1,800 00	1	250 00	.....	.....	.....
White River Circuit.....	.....	466	1	467	476	8	11	28	6	4	7	4	3,500 00	1	200 00	.....	.....	.....
De Witt Circuit.....	.....	272	.....	272	280	3	3	14	1	2	6	2	600 00	1	.....	.....	50 00	405 00
Sheridan Circuit.....	3	327	.....	332	.....	7	28	10	4	23	7	7	2,500 00	1	400 00	.....	.....	100 00
Rison Circuit.....	3	381	1	382	349	49	24	40	7	32	7	7	3,700 00	1	500 00	.....	.....	940 00
Kingsland Circuit.....	1	200	.....	200	231	12	17	60	.....	6	.....	4	1,700 00	1	500 00	.....	.....	.....
Lehi Circuit.....	1	320	.....	320	320	29	7	2	9	19	6	5	3,000 00	1	800 00	.....	.....	.....
Little Prairie Mission.....	1	217	.....	218	217	9	2	10	.....	8	.....	1	200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	290 00
Alzheimer Circuit.....	.....	68	.....	68	59	7	4	2	3	1	3	3	4,000 00	1	300 00	.....	.....	55 00
Redfield Circuit.....	.....	115	.....	115	94	37	1	17	8	17	3	2	1,300 00	.....	.....	.....	2,400 00	524 00
Macon Circuit.....	1	150	.....	151	.....	.....	3	13	.....	.....	.....	2	819 60	.....	.....	.....	.....	600 00
De Witt Station.....	1	145	.....	145	131	2	17	4	1	.....	1	1	1,500 00	1	400 00	.....	.....	150 00
Total.....	15	3,906	2	3,914	3,515	215	223	378	84	135	62	53	\$60,169 60	12	\$9,250 00	.....	\$2,750 00	\$4,544 50

WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Loc'l Preachers.	No. of White Members.	No. of Col'd Members.	To'l Memb's this year.	To'l Memb's last year.	Additions on Profession of faith.	Additions by Certif. and otherwise.	Removals by Death, Cert. & otherwise.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.	No. of Societies in the Charge.	Number of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Dis. Parsonage, if any.	Value of other Church Property.	Money Expd for Churches and Parsonages.
Prescott Station.....	1	170	....	170	176	4	16	26	5	2	1	1	\$ 1,000 00	....	....	....	....	\$ 551 20
Emmett Circuit.....	1	327	....	327	347	8	23	55	5	6	4	6	3,252 00	1	\$ 150 00	....	....	53 20
Bright Star Circuit.....	2	254	....	254	273	4	3	21	2	4	4	4	1,500 00	1	300 00	....	....	60 00
De Ann Circuit.....	2	291	....	291	297	7	14	24	2	....	6	5	1,200 00	....	....	\$ 500 00	514 80	....
Hope Station.....	2	137	....	137	147	1	7	25	1	....	1	....	....	1	1,000 00	....	400 00	81 00
Washington Circuit.....	2	219	....	219	193	7	32	19	2	3	2	2 1/2	3,200 00	....	....	....	....	369 90
Spring Hill Circuit.....	1	285	....	285	260	49	2	26	2	31	4	2 1/2	300 00	1	125 00	....	100 00	66 90
Genoa Circuit.....	1	169	....	169	170	4	8	11	5	3	....	3	750 00	....	300 00	....	300 00	329 80
Richmond Circuit.....	1	179	....	180	163	6	38	9	....	....	6	3	1,650 00	1	500 00	....	100 00	....
Rocky Comfort Circuit.....	1	294	....	294	282	55	11	54	6	19	8	3	500 00	....	....	....	50 00	18 50
Chapel Hill Circuit.....	4	381	....	381	370	13	7	16	4	9	8	2	360 00	1	150 00	....	....	550 00
Lockesburg Circuit.....	6	671	....	671	633	38	....	40	20	13	8	6	4,400 00	1	500 00	....	....	618 35
Mineral Springs Circuit.....	3	331	....	331	328	24	9	25	35	10	7	4	2,700 00	1	275 00	....	....	503 40
Center Point Circuit.....	3	472	....	472	444	42	14	28	53	25	4	4	2,385 00	1	500 00	....	500 00	475 65
Nashville Circuit.....	3	389	....	389	389	12	24	36	7	12	....	4 1/2	2,500 00	1	400 00	....	....	....
Fulton and College Hill.....	1	79	....	79	93	....	3	16	1	....	....	2	1,700 00	....	....	....	....	....
Total .....	35	4,648	....	4,649	4,565	274	211	431	164	137	67	52	\$27,397 00	11	\$4,260 00	....	\$1,950 00	\$4,206 70

CAMDEN DISTRICT.

Camden Station .....	1	240	....	241	217	17	13	8	....	6	1	1	\$2,000 00	1	\$1,500 00	....	....	\$11,250 00
Camden Circuit.....	....	320	....	320	267	43	18	8	....	28	6	5	2,375 00	1	375 00	....	....	50 00
Onachita Circuit.....	5	347	....	347	328	21	18	20	....	17	8	5 1/3	1,175 00	....	....	....	185 00	....
Carolina Circuit.....	2	446	....	446	450	11	11	26	1	11	....	4 1/2	1,400 00	....	....	\$ 85 00	2,600 00	....
Magnolia Station .....	1	241	....	241	313	11	5	84	....	7	1	1	8,000 00	1	2,000 00	....	....	140 00
Stephens and Waldo Circuit,....	1	388	....	388	362	11	30	13	3	4	4	3	2,500 00	2	1,750 00	....	....	....
Atlanta Circuit.....	....	408	....	408	400	10	2	11	9	3	8	7	3,700 00	1	500 00	....	....	....
Magnolia Circuit.....	1	300	....	300	150	5	8	2	3	4	8	7	2,500 00	....	....	....	....	....
El Dorado Circuit.....	....	206	....	206	....	26	72	10	6	16	5	3	1,500 00	1	500 00	....	....	75 00
Lapile Circuit.....	4	467	....	467	466	17	....	16	5	6	9	7	2,000 00	1	250 00	....	75 00	75 00
Hampton Circuit.....	1	324	....	324	323	17	10	26	6	5	....	8 1/2	2,800 00	1	450 00	....	....	50 00
Fordyce Station.....	2	311	....	311	318	3	13	23	3	....	....	1	2,000 00	1	1,200 00	....	....	100 00
Bearden and Thornton.....	1	283	....	283	344	13	5	74	6	5	7	5	2,500 00	1	500 00	....	....	....
Junction City Circuit.....	1	267	....	267	223	18	17	8	3	15	6	4	2,500 00	....	....	210 00	260 00	....
Buckner Circuit.....	1	237	....	237	....	31	13	20	1	16	7	5	2,500 00	1	250 00	....	50 00	77 00
New Lewisville Circuit.....	....	292	....	292	281	31	22	42	5	15	5	3	3,000 00	1	750 00	....	60 00	245 00
Total .....	21	5,077	....	5,078	4,442	285	257	391	55	158	75	70 1/3	\$60,450 00	13	\$10,025 00	....	\$480 00	\$15,107 00

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of White Members.	No. of Col'd Members.	To'l Memb's this year.	To'l Memb's last year.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate & otherwise.	Removals by Death, Cert. & otherwise.	Infants Baptized.	Adults Baptized.	No. of Societies in the Charge.	Number of Churches.	Value of Churches.	No. of Parsonages.	Value of Parsonages.	Value of Dis. Parsonage, if any.	Value of other Church property.	Money Expd for Churches and Parsonages.
Little Rock—First Church.....	2	567	...	567	635	21	74	127	16	19	1	1	\$22,500 00	...	...	...	\$2,500 00	\$1,070 00
Winfield Church.....	1	427	...	427	203	147	113	36	28	96	1	1	20,000 00	...	...	...	...	1,274 00
Asbury Church.....	1	168	...	168	133	27	31	19	2	16	1	1	500 00	...	...	...	2,200 00	...
Lonoke Station.....	1	239	...	239	227	3	17	8	...	...	1	1	7,500 00	1	...	...	425 00	661 00
Des Arc and De Vall's Bluff.....	1	185	...	185	188	5	9	17	1	3	2	2	2,000 00	1	1,000 00	...	...	394 00
England Circuit.....	1	318	...	318	326	10	11	26	...	7	4	4	2,400 00	1	300 00	...	...	287 00
Mabelvale Circuit.....	1	349	...	349	360	16	24	51	3	10	5	5	2,250 00	1	300 00	...	...	...
Oak Hill Circuit.....	2	247	...	247	238	7	2	2	3	2	6	6	4,025 00	...	...	...	...	...
Maumelle Circuit.....	1	164	...	164	160	6	2	4	1	3	6	2½	650 00	...	...	...	150 00	70 00
Austin Circuit.....	2	550	...	550	520	30	20	20	10	25	6	6	3,650 00	1	550 00	...	1,000 00	1,000 00
Hickory Plains Circuit.....	2	505	...	505	405	100	10	5	8	78	7	7	3,600 00	...	...	...	300 00	...
Carlisle and Hazen.....	...	198	...	198	210	8	20	28	3	7	2	2	2,400 00	1	200 00	...	...	150 00
Wattensas Circuit.....	1	289	...	289	294	...	...	...	1	...	...	5	1,500 00	1	150 00	...	50 00	...
Total.....	15	4,206	...	4,206	3,899	380	333	343	76	266	42	49½	\$34,675 00	7	\$3,600 00	...	\$6,625 00	\$4,906 00

RECAPITULATION.

Hot Springs .....	40	3,581	1	3,626	2,751	303	208	255	86	198	63	49½	\$46,675 00	9	\$ 4,375 00	...	\$ 2,340 00	\$913 15
Arkadelphia .....	18	4,672	...	4,873	4,681	309	172	214	71	209	62	63	42,680 00	11	6,990 00	...	900 00	3,555 96
Washington .....	35	4,648	...	4,649	4,565	274	211	431	164	137	67	52	27,397 00	11	4,260 00	...	1,950 00	4,206 70
Camden .....	21	5,077	...	5,078	4,442	285	257	391	55	158	75	70½	60,450 00	13	10,025 00	...	480 00	15,107 00
Monticello .....	14	2,618	...	3,550	3,322	378	151	330	102	165	57	46	32,175 00	12	7,350 00	...	604 00	1,340 50
Pine Bluff .....	15	3,906	2	3,914	3,515	215	223	378	84	135	62	53	60,169 60	12	9,250 00	...	2,750 00	4,544 50
Little Rock .....	15	4,206	...	4,206	3,899	380	333	343	76	266	42	43½	34,675 00	7	3,600 00	...	6,625 00	4,906 00
Total .....	158	28,708	3	29,896	27,175	2,144	1,555	2,342	638	1268	428	377½	\$304,221 60	75	\$45,850 00	...	\$15,649 00	\$33,773 81
Total last year.....	168	30,354	3	30,429	28,150	2,622	1,461	2,553	764	1691	350	390½	317,802 00	76	42,650 00	\$4900 00	58,065 00	22,855 77
Increase .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	...	...	...	78	...	...	...	3,200 00	...	...	918 04
Decrease .....	10	1,646	...	533	975	478	...	211	126	423	...	13	13,580 40	1	...	...	42,146 00	...

## FINANCE—LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT,

NAME OF CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Ch'ge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claimants.	
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.
First Church.....	\$ 500 00	\$ 500 00	\$1800 00	\$1800 00	\$ 33 00	\$ 33 00	\$144 00	\$144 00
Winfield Memorial.....	225 00	225 00	1200 00	1200 00	13 00	13 00	96 00	96 00
Asbury Church.....	130 00	100 00	600 00	525 00	10 00	10 00	48 00	25 00
Lonoke Station.....	130 00	130 00	600 00	600 00	10 00	10 00	48 00	48 00
Des Arc & DeVall's Bluff	100 00	75 90	600 00	455 80	10 00	10 00	48 00	20 00
England Circuit .....	90 00	55 20	450 00	276 15	8 00	8 00	36 00	15 00
Mabelvale Circuit .....	100 00	55 00	500 00	270 00	10 00	10 00	40 00	20 00
Oak Hill Circuit .....	75 00	22 06	325 00	82 24	8 00	8 00	26 00	2 50
Maumelle Circuit.....	60 00	25 40	300 00	152 30	4 00	4 00	24 00	5 50
Austin Circuit.....	120 00	100 00	600 00	500 00	12 00	12 00	48 00	48 00
Hickory Plains Circuit....	100 00	68 85	500 00	344 06	9 00	9 00	40 00	30 00
Carlisle and Hazen.....	110 00	67 45	660 00	404 80	10 00	10 00	48 00	48 00
Wattensas Circuit ....	60 00	13 50	300 00	69 50	6 00	6 00	24 00	2 50
Total.....	\$1800 00	\$1438 36	\$8435 00	\$6679 85	\$143 00	\$143 00	\$670 00	\$504 50

## PINE BLUFF

First Church.....	\$ 325 00	\$ 325 00	\$1500 00	\$1500 00	\$ 30 00	\$ 30 00	\$120 00	\$120 00
Lakeside .....	105 00	105 00	800 00	800 00	10 00	10 00	64 00	64 00
Riverside .....	55 00	36 00	300 00	197 00	5 00	2 30	24 00	2 00
New Edinburgh Circuit...	80 00	10 05	720 00	126 15	10 00	7 00	57 60	6 15
Stuttgart Station..	50 00	50 00	350 00	350 00	6 00	6 00	28 00	28 00
Goldman Circuit .....	75 00	44 85	400 00	241 15	5 00	5 00	32 00	20 00
Sherrill Circuit. ....	80 00	40 00	500 00	286 10	8 00	8 00	41 60	10 00
White River Circuit.....	105 00	69 80	510 00	363 05	11 00	11 00	40 40	22 25
DeWitt Circuit .....	80 00	32 55	505 00	204 15	10 00	.....	40 80	5 00
Sheridan Circuit .....	80 00	52 60	420 00	265 00	8 06	8 00	33 60	24 00
Rison Circuit.....	110 00	77 65	600 00	450 00	12 00	12 00	48 00	45 00
Kingsland Circuit .....	75 00	26 65	375 00	133 35	7 50	7 50	30 00	.....
Leli Circuit.....	80 00	33 13	560 00	232 52	9 00	9 00	44 80	20 00
Little Prairie Mission	50 00	22 82	300 00	137 28	5 00	5 00	24 00	15 00
Alzheimer Circuit .....	60 00	43 55	300 00	217 70	5 00	5 00	24 00	7 00
Redfield Circuit .....	30 00	22 10	300 00	220 75	3 60	3 60	24 00	12 00
Macon Circuit .....	25 00	12 06	300 00	144 74	3 00	3 00	24 00	12 00
DeWitt Station.....	60 00	37 40	500 00	311 75	6 00	6 00	40 00	8 00
Total.....	\$1525 00	\$1041 21	\$9240 00	\$6185 69	\$144 10	\$138 40	\$740 80	\$420 40

## MONTICELLO

Monticello .....	\$ 165 00	\$ 140 80	\$ 800 00	\$ 683 30	\$ 16 00	\$ 16 00	\$ 64 00	\$ 41 60
Star City Circuit.....	75 00	52 05	425 00	303 95	6 00	6 00	34 80	12 00
Tillar Circuit.....	140 00	132 50	700 00	666 65	15 00	15 00	56 00	56 00
Hamburg Circuit.....	105 00	53 90	550 00	283 65	12 00	6 25	44 00	13 70
Palestine Circuit.....	80 00	57 55	420 00	300 50	10 00	7 75	32 40	12 50
Arkansas City Circuit .....	125 00	77 55	445 00	333 75	12 00	9 35	36 00	36 00
Macon Hill Circuit.....	75 00	44 55	300 00	177 45	10 00	11 15	37 50	10 25
Mt. Pleasant Circuit.....	100 00	103 00	500 00	525 00	13 00	13 00	40 00	45 00
Lacey Circuit.....	73 00	70 10	360 00	347 10	6 00	6 00	28 80	25 00
Hamburg Station .....	75 00	59 60	450 00	361 95	6 00	6 50	36 00	24 00
Berea Circuit.....	75 00	57 60	425 00	223 65	6 00	2 20	34 00	25 00
Portland and Parkdale....	200 00	106 05	1200 00	661 50	15 00	15 70	96 00	24 00
Warren Station. ....	112 00	95 00	600 00	535 00	12 00	12 00	48 00	40 00
Total .....	\$1355 00	\$1050 25	\$7160 00	\$5403 45	\$139 00	\$126 90	\$587 50	\$365 05

## LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE, 1895.

Foreign Missions.		Domestic Missions		Church Extension.		Education.		Amer. Bible Society	Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Paid.		
\$257 23	\$257 23	\$180 00	\$180 00	\$85 00	\$85 00	\$35 00	\$35 00	\$17 90	\$3535 00	\$6587 13
125 00	125 00	75 00	75 00	40 00	40 00	16 00	16 00	.....	1777 00	3567 00
100 00	50 00	55 00	25 00	32 00	15 00	10 00	10 00	1 20	266 51	1101 57
100 00	100 00	65 00	65 00	31 00	31 00	.....	10 00	.....	122 00	2203 00
80 00	40 00	50 00	20 00	22 00	5 00	8 00	8 00	11 25	2 00	647 95
60 00	18 15	40 00	12 05	20 00	6 00	6 00	6 00	.....	1 00	397 55
80 00	10 00	46 00	10 00	20 00	5 35	5 00	5 00	1 00	16 00	407 85
60 00	5 00	40 00	5 00	20 00	.....	6 00	6 00	.....	1 00	137 80
50 00	13 30	30 00	10 30	12 00	3 00	4 00	4 00	.....	1 00	268 80
100 00	100 00	60 00	60 00	28 00	28 00	11 00	11 00	1 00	.....	880 40
70 00	45 00	40 00	28 00	22 00	10 00	8 00	8 00	.....	2 00	575 00
100 00	24 00	60 00	24 00	25 00	7 00	9 00	9 00	.....	150 00	744 25
30 00	150 00	35 00	1 40	15 00	90	5 00	6 00	.....	1 00	96 30
\$1212 00	\$689 18	\$776 00	\$515 75	\$372 00	\$236 25	\$123 00	\$118 00	\$32 35	\$5874 57	\$17,614 60

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\$215 00	\$215 00	\$150 00	\$150 00	\$66 50	\$66 50	\$29 00	\$29 00	\$15 00	\$1697 90	\$4114 40
75 00	75 00	45 00	45 00	22 00	22 00	10 00	10 00	.....	290 17	1326 19
30 00	2 00	20 00	2 00	10 00	2 00	4 00	1 85	.....	165 00	410 15
65 00	.....	41 00	.....	20 00	.....	6 00	.....	.....	.....	139 35
42 50	42 50	25 00	25 00	15 00	15 00	5 00	5 00	17 50	51 00	590 00
60 00	10 00	32 50	5 00	22 50	5 00	6 50	4 80	.....	.....	335 80
50 00	10 00	20 00	5 00	12 00	.....	8 00	8 00	.....	.....	367 10
85 00	25 25	50 00	16 25	30 00	8 25	8 00	8 00	1 15	2 00	527 00
60 00	5 00	35 00	1 65	20 00	1 00	7 00	.....	.....	2 00	246 35
60 00	36 50	35 00	24 00	20 00	14 50	6 00	6 00	.....	27 00	467 60
85 00	75 00	50 00	40 00	25 00	25 00	9 00	1 40	3 30	1 00	730 35
60 00	12 00	32 50	.....	22 50	.....	6 50	6 50	.....	1 50	187 50
60 00	20 00	40 00	10 00	20 00	3 00	7 00	7 00	2 00	2 00	338 65
30 00	9 00	25 00	6 00	10 00	2 35	4 00	4 00	.....	7 71	209 16
40 00	10 00	25 00	9 00	10 00	5 00	3 00	2 00	.....	.....	299 25
20 00	10 00	12 00	6 00	7 20	5 00	2 25	2 25	.....	525 00	807 70
15 00	8 00	10 00	3 00	6 00	4 00	3 00	5 00	1 50	1 00	194 30
47 00	7 50	30 00	5 50	15 00	3 00	6 00	3 75	2 25	1 00	559 50
\$1099 50	\$572 75	\$678 00	\$353 40	\$355 70	\$181 50	\$130 25	\$104 55	\$42 70	\$2775 30	\$11,852 35

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\$130 00	\$85 00	\$80 00	\$40 00	\$40 00	\$24 00	\$16 00	\$16 00	\$9 85	\$165 25	\$1600 25
60 00	5 00	40 00	5 00	20 00	.....	6 00	6 00	1 00	6 82	455 00
100 00	100 00	65 00	65 00	32 50	32 50	15 00	15 00	5 00	50 00	1138 65
80 00	34 25	40 00	10 00	.....	.....	.....	6 25	.....	35 00	433 00
.....	10 00	.....	10 00	.....	4 33	.....	.....	.....	236 45	667 85
80 00	32 00	45 00	15 00	22 50	10 00	12 00	9 40	.....	92 85	615 40
70 00	15 00	45 00	9 50	20 00	8 50	10 00	11 15	1 00	.....	288 40
90 00	100 00	55 00	55 00	27 50	27 50	13 00	13 00	8 00	47 00	958 75
55 00	41 25	35 00	27 25	17 50	10 00	6 00	6 65	1 00	29 50	567 85
60 00	41 00	40 00	27 00	20 00	13 00	6 00	7 00	3 20	54 75	686 30
60 00	39 50	40 00	25 00	20 00	10 00	6 00	7 20	2 50	2 00	497 25
160 00	40 00	100 00	25 00	50 00	12 50	15 00	15 70	.....	20 00	920 45
90 00	70 00	55 00	40 00	27 50	20 00	13 00	13 00	.....	35 00	850 00
\$1035 00	\$613 00	\$640 00	\$353 75	\$297 50	\$172 33	\$118 00	\$126 35	\$31 55	\$774 62	\$9679 15

## FINANCE · CAMDEN DISTRICT, LITTLE

NAME OF CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Ch'ge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claimants.	
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.
Camden Station .....	\$ 150 00	\$ 150 00	\$1000 00	\$1000 00	\$ 16 00	\$ 16 00	\$ 80 00	\$ 80 00
Camden Circuit.....	70 00	54 90	345 00	270 80	7 00	7 00	27 60	20 00
Ouachita Circuit .....	65 00	46 15	250 00	184 30	7 00	7 00	20 00	8 00
Carolina Circuit.....	75 00	48 75	390 00	255 18	8 00	8 00	31 20	18 70
Magnolia Station.....	150 00	150 00	750 00	750 00	12 00	12 00	60 00	60 00
Stephens & Waldo Circuit	95 00	71 40	650 00	499 82	10 00	10 00	52 00	40 00
Atlanta Circuit.....	75 00	58 50	535 00	416 65	8 00	8 00	43 00	30 00
Magnolia Circuit.....	60 00	30 00	200 00	118 50	.....	.....	16 00	10 00
El Dorado Circuit.....	100 00	92 50	500 00	452 50	10 00	10 00	40 00	30 00
Lapile Circuit.....	70 00	30 00	340 00	146 00	8 00	8 00	27 20	9 50
Hampton Circuit.....	65 00	46 50	335 00	259 00	7 00	7 00	26 80	12 00
Fordyce Station .....	150 00	150 00	725 00	725 00	12 00	12 00	58 00	40 00
Rearden & Thornton Cts.	80 00	56 20	600 00	365 30	10 00	10 00	48 00	20 00
Junction City Circuit.....	80 00	56 75	480 00	3 0 25	8 00	8 00	38 40	4 75
Buckner Circuit .....	65 00	49 95	325 00	250 95	7 00	7 00	26 00	10 05
New Louisville Circuit.....	75 00	46 00	600 00	418 50	8 00	8 00	48 00	25 00
Total.....	\$1425 00	\$1137 60	\$8035 00	\$6422 75	\$138 00	\$138 00	\$642 20	\$418 05

## WASHINGTON

Prescott Station.....	\$ 133 00	\$ 106 25	\$ 800 00	\$ 637 45	\$ 14 00	\$ 14 00	\$ 64 00	\$ 40 00
Emmett Circuit.....	93 00	58 30	557 00	350 00	10 00	6 10	44 56	21 00
Bright Star Circuit.....	40 00	18 75	240 00	113 70	5 00	5 00	19 20	5 00
De Arme Circuit .....	50 00	40 25	300 00	243 00	8 00	5 45	24 00	15 00
Hope Station.....	120 00	92 35	750 00	534 67	12 00	12 15	60 00	40 21
Washington Circuit.....	75 00	44 70	450 00	275 45	9 00	9 00	36 00	36 00
Spring Hill Mission.....	43 00	23 31	257 00	139 49	4 00	4 00	20 55	8 00
Genoa Mission.....	66 00	31 05	400 00	186 95	6 00	3 60	32 00	8 00
Richmond Mission.....	85 00	55 20	505 00	256 25	10 00	5 75	41 20	2 00
Rocky Comfort Mission...	55 00	36 85	330 00	220 35	6 00	4 00	26 40	12 00
Chapel Hill Mission .....	83 25	27 56	500 00	179 65	8 00	6 75	40 00	5 90
Lockesburg Mission.....	116 00	94 15	700 00	565 40	13 00	13 00	56 00	45 00
Mineral Springs Mission	85 00	54 10	520 00	314 00	10 00	9 00	40 00	40 00
Central Point Mission .....	83 00	66 05	500 00	399 57	10 00	10 00	40 00	35 00
Nashville Mission .....	100 00	75 00	600 00	452 00	10 00	10 00	48 00	55 25
Fulton and College Hill..	92 00	41 15	558 00	247 30	10 00	7 50	44 65	12 00
Total.....	\$1319 25	\$ 865 02	\$7967 00	\$5115 23	\$135 00	\$125 30	\$636 56	\$380 36

## ARKADELPHIA

Arkadelphia Station.....	\$ 150 00	\$150 00	\$1000 00	\$1000 00	\$ 19 37	\$ 19 37	\$ 80 00	\$ 80 00
Daleville Mission .....	30 00	11 15	170 00	108 15	3 88	3 00	21 60	2 00
Clark Circuit.....	70 00	52 50	300 00	280 50	9 00	9 00	24 00	30 75
Gurdon Circuit.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okolona Circuit .....	105 00	71 35	635 00	429 35	13 56	6 00	50 40	31 50
Murfreesboro Circuit .....	80 00	45 45	600 00	283 00	10 34	5 00	40 00	6 00
Social Hill Circuit.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dalark Circuit .....	80 00	76 70	500 00	479 40	10 35	6 00	40 00	40 00
Holly Springs Circuit.....	80 00	63 50	360 00	288 55	11 62	9 60	28 80	28 80
Princeton Circuit.....	75 00	68 30	407 00	371 50	9 68	7 50	32 56	32 56
Lono Circuit.....	50 00	28 00	300 00	172 00	6 00	6 00	24 00	2 75
Malvern Station .....	80 00	70 00	600 00	575 00	10 35	10 35	48 00	40 00
Benton Station.....	85 00	60 40	400 00	277 70	9 68	9 68	32 00	27 50
Collegeville Circuit.....	85 00	58 15	505 00	420 00	10 98	9 00	40 00	30 00
Bryant Circuit.....	80 00	73 50	400 00	367 65	10 34	9 00	32 00	32 00
Total.....	\$1020 00	\$677 85	\$6007 00	\$4941 65	\$131 27	\$106 50	\$471 76	\$381 86



## ROCK CONFERENCE—Continued.

Foreign Missions.		Domestic Missions		Church Extension.		Education.		Amer. Bible Society	Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Paid.		
\$150 00	\$150 00	\$ 75 00	\$ 75 00	\$ 45 00	\$ 45 00	\$ 15 00	\$ 15 00	\$14 65	\$267 57	\$13,140 22
60 00	20 00	40 00	20 00	20 00	5 00	6 00	6 00	2 00	45 50	451 20
65 00	21 00	45 00	15 00	20 00	6 00	6 00	6 00	.....	1 50	294 95
75 00	20 00	50 00	14 00	20 00	5 00	7 00	3 00	75	1 00	569 50
110 00	110 00	65 00	65 00	35 00	35 00	14 00	14 00	.....	2700 00	3896 00
80 00	60 00	50 00	37 00	26 00	18 00	9 00	9 00	.....	32 00	777 22
80 00	25 00	50 00	30 00	25 00	10 00	6 00	3 00	3 75	8 40	595 70
50 00	10 00	30 00	8 00	10 00	2 00	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	181 50
80 00	50 00	50 00	30 00	26 00	18 00	9 00	9 00	7 00	1 50	700 50
75 00	10 00	45 00	6 00	16 00	1 50	6 00	3 00	.....	.....	214 00
65 00	18 00	45 00	14 00	16 00	5 00	7 00	7 00	.....	1 50	442 00
110 00	70 00	65 00	40 00	35 00	20 00	14 00	14 00	.....	2 00	1073 00
75 00	25 00	50 00	10 00	12 00	3 00	5 00	5 00	2 00	1 00	497 50
70 00	51 75	45 00	14 45	16 00	.....	7 00	7 00	.....	1 50	405 45
50 00	22 00	40 00	21 85	16 00	2 00	6 00	6 00	1 50	77 00	473 20
60 00	35 00	40 00	23 00	16 00	12 00	7 00	7 00	.....	1 00	1012 05
\$1255 00	\$697 75	\$785 00	\$423 30	\$354 00	\$187 50	\$127 00	\$117 00	\$31 65	\$3141 47	\$24,723 99

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\$120 00	\$ 65 00	\$ 75 00	\$ 32 00	\$ 33 00	\$ 15 00	\$ 14 00	\$14 00	\$15 00	\$ 42 00	\$ 980 70
85 00	35 25	50 00	13 65	20 00	10 00	9 00	4 00	1 50	.....	1083 00
40 00	5 00	15 00	5 00	8 00	1 80	3 00	3 05	1 00	54 20	212 45
75 00	15 00	40 00	10 00	20 00	2 00	.....	2 00	3 00	.....	336 45
120 00	45 70	70 00	29 50	33 00	21 00	13 50	13 20	5 10	516 30	1330 18
80 00	80 00	45 00	45 00	20 00	20 00	9 50	4 00	3 65	.....	638 20
30 00	5 00	25 00	7 00	16 00	3 20	3 00	4 40	1 50	1 00	572 50
50 00	7 00	35 00	4 00	10 00	2 25	4 00	2 00	1 90	.....	246 25
85 00	1 00	55 00	10 00	21 00	.....	9 00	.....	1 00	329 80	641 10
55 00	8 00	35 00	8 00	17 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	1 25	1 00	294 45
70 00	11 45	40 00	5 30	20 00	2 00	7 00	2 50	2 00	1 00	243 05
125 00	75 00	75 00	50 00	30 00	25 00	13 00	13 00	6 00	96 85	1636 72
85 00	20 00	40 00	18 00	20 00	10 00	10 50	75	3 60	618 00	887 40
80 00	45 00	50 00	35 00	21 00	15 00	9 00	8 40	2 50	504 40	1164 17
100 00	82 00	65 00	51 30	25 00	25 00	10 50	9 10	25 00	50	1303 20
80 00	13 75	50 00	9 00	20 00	6 00	9 60	85	.....	1 00	337 55
\$1280 00	\$514 15	\$765 00	\$332 75	\$334 00	\$160 25	\$126 00	\$83 25	\$74 00	\$2166 05	\$11,907 37

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\$158 54	\$213 54	\$ 96 87	\$106 87	\$ 44 65	\$ 61 65	\$12 50	\$12 50	\$23 00	\$846 00	\$2512 93
31 87	1 00	19 38	1 00	8 92	1 00	2 50	.....	.....	67	127 97
80 00	32 50	50 00	14 45	20 82	9 35	4 00	1 00	70	16 00	466 44
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
111 56	30 00	68 81	25 00	31 25	5 00	8 95	3 00	1 25	1 00	603 45
85 00	10 50	51 66	8 50	23 80	3 00	6 66	2 00	.....	300 00	663 45
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
85 00	66 65	51 65	51 65	23 80	15 00	6 65	3 00	5 55	1 00	744 95
90 00	50 00	58 12	34 15	26 78	12 00	7 50	.....	1 00	767 00	1274 00
79 68	79 68	48 44	48 44	22 31	22 31	6 25	2 00	.....	161 50	793 49
52 00	17 30	32 00	10 00	14 00	3 75	4 00	4 00	.....	659 25	913 05
85 00	52 50	51 65	40 00	23 80	15 00	6 65	6 65	.....	1402 61	2021 86
29 68	37 00	48 44	20 90	22 36	10 00	6 25	6 25	8 00	1 07	742 70
90 31	35 00	54 89	25 00	25 92	15 00	7 08	7 00	2 00	.....	748 00
85 00	60 00	51 66	40 00	28 80	17 00	6 65	5 00	.....	51 80	744 50
\$1031 77	\$684 67	\$664 19	\$426 96	\$308 29	\$189 06	\$83 14	\$52 40	\$41 50	\$4207 03	\$12,228 82

**FINANCE --HOT SPRINGS DISTRICT, LITTLE**

NAME OF CHARGE.	Presiding Elder.		Preacher in Ch'ge.		Bishops.		Conf. Claimants.	
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.
Central Avenue.....	\$215 00	\$172 00	\$1500 00	\$1200 00	\$10 00	\$10 00	\$120 00	\$98 00
South Hot Springs.....	75 00	38 00	500 00	277 07	5 00	5 00	44 00	22 00
Malvern Hill.....	125 00	77 66	1200 00	745 58	5 00	5 00	96 00	23 70
Glen Street.....	22 50	6 50	200 00	118 50	2 00	2 00	16 00	9 00
New Liberty Circuit.....	65 00	20 45	425 00	127 78	5 00	5 00	34 00	5 00
Mt. Valley Mission.....	20 00	9 25	160 00	66 85	3 00	3 00	12 80	2 00
Crystal Springs Circuit...	40 00	33 42	2 60	241 27	4 00	4 00	20 80	.....
Mt. Ida Circuit.....	75 00	28 40	4 25	164 30	5 00	5 00	34 00	5 00
Amity Circuit.....	75 00	50 00	450 00	300 00	5 00	5 00	36 00	24 00
New Hope Mission.....	20 00	7 50	100 00	50 25	2 00	2 00	8 00	2 70
Saline Circuit.....	50 00	25 05	400 00	232 40	3 00	3 00	32 00	16 00
Core Circuit.....	25 00	14 52	250 00	146 28	2 00	2 00	20 00	4 00
Cherry Hill Circuit.....	45 00	17 60	400 00	156 40	3 00	3 00	32 00	3 00
Dallas Circuit.....	40 00	235 00	300 00	99 81	3 00	3 00	24 00	.....
Total.....	\$872 50	\$493 45	\$6410 00	\$3859 64	\$54 00	\$54 00	\$516 80	\$212 40

**RECAPITU**

Little Rock.....	\$1800 00	\$1438 36	\$8435 00	\$6679 85	\$143 00	\$143 00	\$670 00	\$504 50
Pine Bluff.....	1525 00	1041 21	9240 00	6185 69	144 10	138 40	740 80	420 40
Monticello.....	1355 00	1050 25	7160 00	5403 45	139 00	126 90	587 50	365 05
Camden.....	1425 00	1137 60	8035 00	6422 75	138 00	138 00	642 20	418 05
Washington.....	1319 25	865 02	7967 00	5115 23	135 00	125 30	636 56	380 36
Arkadelphia.....	1020 00	677 85	6007 00	4941 65	131 27	106 50	471 76	381 86
Hot Springs.....	872 50	493 45	6410 00	3859 64	54 00	54 00	516 80	212 40
Total.....	\$9316 75	\$6703 74	\$53,254 00	\$38,608 26	\$884 37	\$832 10	\$4265 62	\$2682 62
Total last year.....	9475 00	6739 99	56,376 00	40,271 34	964 38	895 49	4489 53	2643 25
Increase.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29 37
Decrease.....	158 25	36 25	3122 00	1668 08	80 01	63 39	223 91	.....



## ROCK CONFERENCE—Continued.

Foreign Missions.		Domestic Missions		Church Extension.		Education.		Amer. Bible Society	Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Paid.		
\$150 00	\$60 00	\$87 00	\$47 47	\$45 00	\$30 00	\$10 00	\$10 00	\$23 00	\$573 35	\$2717 20
60 00	30 00	36 00	18 00	16 00	8 00	4 00	4 00	1 80	41 10	443 87
60 00	22 00	37 50	15 00	16 00	10 00	6 00	6 00	.....	188 81	1219 03
20 00	20 00	12 50	3 00	8 00	7 50	1 50	1 50	3 05	29 50	239 61
69 00	7 00	56 00	5 50	21 00	.....	5 00	.....	.....	2 35	171 08
30 00	1 50	16 00	1 00	8 00	1 00	3 00	.....	.....	.....	84 86
39 00	.....	31 00	.....	12 00	.....	3 00	1 50	1 50	1 00	282 34
73 00	5 00	56 00	5 00	21 00	2 50	6 00	2 50	.....	6 00	218 70
74 00	22 00	56 00	9 50	21 00	3 00	6 00	6 00	.....	34 00	750 50
24 00	5 00	16 00	4 00	8 00	2 00	2 50	2 50	.....	1 00	76 95
54 00	30 00	45 00	18 00	15 00	3 00	3 50	3 85	1 00	.....	334 30
20 00	5 00	13 50	3 00	8 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	1 00	23 00	202 80
49 00	2 00	39 00	.....	12 00	.....	3 00	2 00	.....	1 00	197 45
49 00	2 00	39 00	.....	12 00	.....	3 00	2 50	.....	4 95	114 61
\$741 00	\$210 00	\$524 50	\$128 45	\$215 00	\$68 00	\$55 50	\$44 35	\$31 35	\$906 06	\$6968 44

## LATION.

\$1212 00	\$689 18	\$776 00	\$515 75	\$372 00	\$235 25	\$123 00	\$118 00	\$32 35	\$5874 57	\$17,614 60
1099 50	572 75	678 00	353 40	355 70	181 50	130 25	104 55	42 70	2775 30	11,852 35
1035 00	613 00	640 00	353 75	297 50	172 33	118 00	126 35	31 55	774 62	9,679 15
1255 00	697 75	785 00	423 30	354 00	187 50	127 00	117 00	31 65	3141 47	24,723 99
1280 00	514 15	765 00	332 75	334 00	160 25	126 00	83 25	74 00	2166 05	11,907 37
1031 77	684 67	664 19	426 96	308 29	189 06	83 14	52 40	41 50	4207 03	12,228 82
741 00	210 00	524 50	103 45	215 00	68 00	55 50	44 35	31 35	906 06	6,968 44
\$7654 27	\$3981 50	\$4832 69	\$2509 36	\$2236 49	\$1194 89	\$762 89	\$645 90	\$285 10	\$19,845 10	\$94,974 72
8003 44	3851 49	4922 03	2411 23	2284 38	1133 08	661 20	544 14	133 05	13,025 92	80,798 67
.....	130 01	.....	98 13	.....	61 81	101 69	101 76	152 05	6,819 18	14,176 05
349 17	.....	89 34	.....	48 89	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

## EPWORTH LEAGUES AND SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

## HOT SPRINGS DISTRICT, LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE, 1895.

NAME OF CHARGE.	No. of Epworth Leagues.	No. of Epworth League M'brs.	No. of Schools.	No. Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Amount Collec'd for Sunday Schools.	Amount Collec'd for Missions.	Amount Collec'd on Children's Day.	Amount Collec'd for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.
Central Avenue.....	1	36	1	12	125	\$40 00			\$30 00	\$70 00
South Hot Springs.....	1	35	1	13	86	46 08		\$2 00		48 08
Malvern Hill.....	1	29	2	24	203	135 81		8 25	17 00	161 06
Glen Street.....	1	8	2	12	75	33 56	\$1 00	55		35 11
New Liberty Circuit.....	1	9	6	30	200	6 50				6 50
Mt. Valley Mission.....			3	12	68	6 45				6 45
Crystal Springs Circuit...	1	27	3	15	80	15 00		2 20		17 20
Mt. Ida Circuit.....			3	12	150	15 00		1 50		16 50
Amity Circuit.....			5	36	216	25 00		1 25		26 25
New Hope Circuit.....			4	16	135	3 40				3 40
Saline Circuit.....			3	12	150	5 50		1 25		7 15
Core Circuit.....			3	18	155	9 00				9 00
Cherry Hill Circuit.....			6	20	200	8 00				8 00
Dallas Circuit.....			2	14	120	16 97				16 97
Total.....	6	144	44	246	1936	\$356 27	\$1 00	\$17 00	\$47 00	\$431 67

## ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.

Arkadelphia Station.....	1	60	1	30	270	\$106 40		\$10 00		\$116 40
Daleville Mission.....			3	9	25	6 25				6 25
Clark Circuit.....			6	26	184	18 19		1 50		19 69
Gurdon Circuit.....			3	20	150	40 00				40 00
Okolona Circuit.....			4	24	200	25 00				25 00
Murfreesboro Circuit.....			5	30	300	16 00		3 15		19 15
Social Hill Circuit.....										
Dalark Circuit.....			2	12	80	15 00				15 00
Holly Springs Circuit.....	1	20	4	30	150	17 12		3 00		20 12
Princeton Circuit.....			6	27	170	18 00			\$1 00	19 00
Lono Circuit.....			8	16	250	15 00				15 00
Malvern Station.....	1		2	27	203	67 78	\$5 25			73 03
Benton Circuit.....			1	11	125	35 00				35 00
Collegeville Circuit.....			7	54	380	88 97		6 60		95 67
Bryant Circuit.....			7	56	389	71 40		1 65	19 65	92 70
Total.....	3	80	59	372	2876	\$540 11	\$5 25	\$31 90	\$20 65	\$592 01

## WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

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Prescott Station.....	1	43	1	16	127	\$49 61	.....	\$5 00	.....	\$54 61
Emmett Circuit.....	.....	.....	6	30	218	23 00	.....	4 20	.....	27 20
Bright Star Circuit.....	.....	.....	4	20	100	5 00	.....	.....	.....	5 00
De Anne Circuit.....	.....	.....	6	30	300	25 00	.....	5 40	.....	30 40
Hope Station.....	1	27	1	11	67	46 31	.....	4 00	.....	50 31
Washington Circuit.....	1	21	3	19	140	27 25	.....	12 15	.....	39 40
Spring Hill Circuit.....	.....	.....	2	12	95	5 70	.....	.....	.....	5 70
Genoa Circuit.....	1	10	5	25	170	6 61	.....	.....	.....	6 61
Richmond Circuit.....	1	17	5	.....	112	36 85	.....	5 30	.....	42 15
Rocky Comfort Circuit.....	.....	.....	4	16	150	24 35	.....	8 65	.....	33 00
Chapel Hill Circuit.....	.....	.....	3	21	120	11 75	.....	5 65	.....	17 40
Lockesburg Circuit.....	1	55	5	31	311	53 49	\$55 38	12 08	\$35 75	156 70
Mineral Springs Circuit.....	.....	.....	2	12	100	15 00	.....	.....	.....	15 00
Center Point Circuit.....	.....	.....	3	16	140	35 00	.....	8 25	.....	43 25
Nashville Circuit.....	.....	.....	4	29	231	40 00	.....	11 25	.....	51 25
Fulton and College Hill.....	.....	.....	2	14	94	38 20	.....	2 40	.....	40 60
Total.....	6	173	56	302	2475	\$443 11	\$55 38	\$84 33	\$35 75	\$618 58

## CAMDEN DISTRICT.

Camden Station.....	.....	.....	1	18	142	\$55 00	\$20 00	.....	.....	\$75 00
Camden Circuit.....	.....	.....	5	15	80	15 00	.....	.....	.....	15 00
Onachita Circuit.....	.....	.....	2	6	30	9 00	.....	\$2 00	.....	11 00
Carolina Circuit.....	.....	.....	3	10	100	6 00	.....	3 65	.....	9 65
Magnolia Station.....	1	.....	1	12	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	200 00
Stephens & Waldo Circuit.....	1	35	3	29	245	42 75	.....	11 00	.....	53 75
Atlanta Circuit.....	.....	.....	3	20	140	18 00	.....	6 80	.....	24 80
Magnolia Circuit.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
El Dorado Circuit.....	1	30	2	12	80	30 00	.....	7 00	.....	37 00
Lapile Circuit.....	.....	.....	3	16	78	3 50	.....	.....	.....	3 50
Hampton Circuit.....	.....	.....	3	15	140	15 00	.....	1 00	.....	16 00
Fordyce Station.....	1	35	1	4	134	51 07	.....	11 38	.....	62 45
Bearden & Thornton Cts.....	.....	.....	4	22	343	32 00	.....	.....	.....	32 00
Junction City Circuit.....	.....	.....	5	20	215	14 00	34 00	3 50	.....	51 50
Buckner Circuit.....	.....	.....	3	18	138	24 90	.....	.....	.....	24 90
New Louisville Circuit.....	.....	.....	3	20	172	48 50	.....	.....	.....	48 50
Total.....	4	100	42	237	2187	\$364 72	\$54 00	\$46 33	.....	\$665 05

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### MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

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Monticello Station.....	1	25	1	17	160	\$103 95	\$5 00	\$5 00		\$113 95
Star City Circuit.....			6	20	165	30 00			\$5 00	35 00
Tillar Station .....			4	19	188	25 00		10 00		35 00
Hamburg Circuit.....			5	18	160	13 50				13 50
Palestine Circuit.....			5	32	210	27 00				27 00
Arkansas City Circuit.....	1	12	3	15	65	20 00	25 40	5 35		50 70
Macon Hill Circuit.....			2	14	90	12 25				12 25
Mt. Pleasant Circuit.....	2	39	6	27	200	25 00	9 95	9 80		44 75
Lacey Circuit.....			4	25	100	18 00				18 00
Hamburg Station .....			1	13	116	17 75				17 75
Berea Circuit.....			4	22	140	12 00		2 20		14 20
Portland and Parkdale....	1	18	6	45	214	36 95				36 95
Warren Station.....	1	21	1	13	100	30 00	7 50	7 50		45 00
Total.....	6	115	48	280	1908	\$371 40	\$47 85	\$40 05	\$5 00	\$464 05

### PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

First Church.....	1	110	1	21	275	\$100 00	\$35 00	\$10 00		\$145 00
Lakeside Church .....	1	30	1	17	98	71 95				71 95
Riverside Church.....	1	40	1	6	45	20 00	1 00	1 00		22 00
New Edinburgh Circuit...			3	12	180	6 00				6 00
Stuttgart Station.....	1	29	1	14	70	34 87		5 10		39 97
Goldman Circuit .....			6	24	200	5 00		2 00		7 00
Sherrill Circuit.....			3	12	75	22 60	15 00			37 60
White River Circuit.....	1	35	4	20	250	25 00		5 10		30 10
DeWitt Circuit.....			3	18	125	7 00				7 00
Sheridan Circuit.....	1	27	6	25	175	15 00		8 50		23 50
Rison Circuit.....	1	42	7	33	243	27 90		2 30		30 20
Kingsland Circuit.....			1	4	46	6 50				6 50
Lehi Circuit.....	1	17	4	16	275	21 00		7 28		28 28
Little Prairie Mission .			4	12	72	3 23				3 23
Alzheimer Circuit.....			3	12	80	8 00		3 20		11 20
Redfield Circuit .....	1	31	2	15	100	25 86	3 00	7 00		35 86
Macon Circuit .....			4	23	176	14 16		8 25	\$6 00	28 41
DeWitt Station.....	1	30	1	10	99	14 40	2 15	1 85	4 85	23 25
Total.....	10	391	55	294	2584	\$428 47	\$56 15	\$61 58	\$10 85	\$557 05



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LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

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First Church.....	1	47	3	43	310	\$200 00	.....	.....	.....	\$200 00
Winfield Memorial.....	1	79	1	20	200	200 00	\$9 00	.....	\$36 00	245 00
Asbury Church.....	1	63	1	18	150	66 31	.....	\$4 25	3 30	73 86
Mabelvale Circuit.....	1	.....	5	34	229	83 00	.....	2 35	.....	85 35
Maumelle Circuit.....	.....	.....	6	28	150	8 70	.....	.....	.....	8 70
Austin Circuit.....	2	35	6	36	360	50 00	36 00	.....	.....	86 00
Lonoke Station.....	1	40	1	16	120	50 00	.....	.....	124 00	174 00
Hickory Plains Circuit.....	.....	.....	4	20	150	8 00	.....	.....	.....	8 00
Des Arc & DeVall's Bluff	2	68	2	18	130	51 00	.....	.....	.....	51 00
Wattensas Circuit.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
England Circuit.....	.....	.....	3	15	140	31 60	.....	.....	.....	31 60
Oak Hill Circuit.....	.....	.....	6	30	240	25 00	.....	.....	.....	25 00
Carlisle and Hazen.....	.....	.....	2	23	200	48 00	.....	5 00	10 50	63 50
Total .....	9	332	40	301	2379	\$821 61	\$45 00	\$11 50	\$173 80	\$1052 01

RECAPITULATION.

Hot Springs .....	6	144	44	246	1,963	\$356 27	\$1 00	\$17 00	\$47 00	\$431 67
Arkadelphia .....	3	80	59	372	2,876	540 11	5 25	31 90	20 65	392 01
Washington .....	6	173	56	302	2,475	443 11	55 38	84 33	35 75	618 58
Camden .....	4	100	42	237	2,187	364 72	54 00	46 33	.....	665 05
Monticello.....	6	115	48	280	1,908	371 40	47 85	40 05	10 85	464 05
Pine Bluff.....	10	391	55	294	2,584	428 47	56 15	61 58	.....	557 05
Little Rock.....	9	332	40	301	2,379	821 61	45 00	11 50	173 80	1052 01
Total.....	44	1335	344	2032	16,372	\$3325 69	\$264 63	\$292 69	\$288 05	\$4180 42
Total last year.....	24	768	341	2139	16,348	3326 09	169 75	195 27	441 30	4140 01
Increase.....	20	567	3	.....	34	.....	94 88	97 42	.....	40 41
Decrease .....	.....	.....	.....	107	.....	40	.....	.....	153 25	.....